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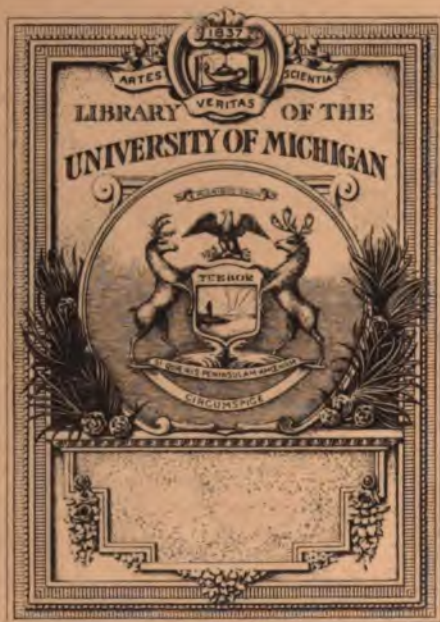
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## INTRODUCTION.

In continuation of the tenth and eleventh volumes\* of its series—which contained the Third, Fourth and Fifth Diaries—the Catholic Record Society now presents to its members, after an interval of eighteen years, the Seventh Douay Diary, covering a period of over sixty years. The Sixth Diary is unhappily lost.

Half a century ago, the Fathers of the London Oratory published, as stated in the Introduction to Volume X above mentioned, the First and Second Douay Diaries,† in which were recorded the foundation and early fortunes of that English College which, from its foundation in 1568 to its suppression in 1793, was the chief source and place of education of the secular clergy of England. In the preface, the Fathers expressed their intention of publishing the Third Diary; but owing to the death of Dr. Knox, and other causes, further work remained in abeyance, until the Catholic Record Society took it up under the editorship of Canon Burton and the Rev. T. L. Williams.

In the course of the Introduction to Volume X, Dr. Burton stated that it was intended to proceed in due course with the Seventh Diary, "but as there is still a forlorn hope that the Sixth Diary may still be in existence in England or abroad, it may be as well to hold our hands for a period." As the Sixth Diary had not yet been found, Dr. Burton, who later had become President of St. Edmund's College and, still later, a Canon of Westminster Cathedral, began to edit the Seventh Douay Diary. He had a transcript made from the original manuscript in the archives of the Westminster Diocese, and had annotated almost the whole of the Diary, when he was overtaken by a protracted illness, terminating with his lamented death on December 13th, 1925. This temporarily put an end to the proceedings. The Rev. Dr. J. M. T. Barton, of St. Edmund's College (who had collaborated with Canon Burton), and the late Rev. J. R. McKee, of the Oratory, were then approached, but after some consideration each felt obliged to decline. The galley proofs and a portion of the MS. were then handed to the present editor, who, through various circumstances, was not able to proceed with the work for some little time. His work has been confined to collating the proofs with the MS. twice over, revising the notes, and attempting to unravel a few of the difficulties which have been

\* The Douay College Diaries, Third, Fourth and Fifth, 1598-1654, with The Rheims Report, 1579-80. Edited by Edwin H. Burton, D.D., F.R.Hist.S., Vice-President of St. Edmund's College, Old Hall, Herts., and Thomas L. Williams, M.A., Master of St. Edmund's House, Cambridge. 2 vols. Privately printed for the Catholic Record Society. (London, 1911).

† The First and Second Diaries of the English College, Douay, and an Appendix of Unpublished Documents, edited by Fathers of the Congregation of the London Oratory, with an Historical Introduction by Thomas Francis Knox, D.D., priest of the same Congregation. London: David Nutt, 270, Strand, MDCCCLXXVIII. (Records of the English Catholics under the Penal Laws; vol. I).



encountered. Owing to this chapter of accidents it is feared that the editing of the Diary has suffered from not being the work of one hand. Amongst the minor difficulties caused by interruptions of the work is the plan of treatment of the Text. In several places at the beginning it will be observed that an attempt has been made to amend the Text (with due notice of where an amendment occurs). The present Editor has left these emendations, which he found already in print, but in the remainder of the volume, the Text has been printed as it stands in the original document.

The MS. of the Seventh Diary is written on stout paper, 12 $\frac{1}{2}$  by 7 $\frac{1}{2}$  ins., bound in marbled boards, calf back and corners. The volume, in appearance, is exactly like that which contains the Fourth and Fifth Diaries. Some memoranda, described at pp. 334-337, have been placed at the commencement of the volume. Between pp. 24 and 25 of the MS. is inserted an original document, a Brief of Pope Clement XI, addressed to Dr. Paston (see p. 27). Between pp. 130 and 131 has been bound in a Table of Ordinations, 1691-6, which will be found printed in this edition on pages 332-333.

The Diary begins with the appointment of Dr. Witham to the Presidency in 1715 and is in his handwriting until shortly before his death, in 1738, with the exception of Fol. 149-152, covering June 19th to September 9th, 1728, when he was absent in England; the handwriting during that period, it is deeply interesting to note, is that of Dr. (afterwards the Venerable Bishop) Richard Challoner. The Diary is continued in the handwriting of the Rev. Francis Petre (*vere* Squibb), the Vice-President, who carries it on up to September 29th, 1747. From that date the handwriting is that of Dr. William Greene, who became President in 1750; his handwriting ends on May 4th, 1754. After that, in an unknown bold and careless hand, there is a statement that for twenty years no regular diary was kept. A summary of the events relating to the College up to 1778, consisting of only a paragraph or two for each year, is next given, and is followed by an account of the first Catholic Relief Act and a copy of the Oath of Allegiance which Catholics were bound to take. After the close of the Diary, in the handwriting of Dr. Witham, are pp. 353-368 (308-326 of this edition), occupied with his "Advice to a President," which shows his anxious mind and gives an idea of the interior life of the College as viewed from the President's standpoint. Dr. Witham was a president to whom the College of Douay owed much, but especially in the regularity of its discipline, the care with which its accounts were kept, his strict adherence to authority and the spirit of almost isolation to which, in the end, he reduced the College. He appears to have been a man of strong but narrow views, with a deep sense of duty and piety, an unswerving loyalty to the House of Stuart, a rooted objection to the subordination of the College to the University of Douay, and a still greater aversion from communion with the University of Paris which—with good reason—he suspected of Jansenism in its Theology.

The text of the Diary begins (p. 2) in the year 1716, when Robert Witham, the twelfth President, tells us that he set to work to investigate the Diaries that had been kept up to that time. These Diaries had often been interrupted. On pages 2-6, Witham describes the Six Douay Diaries—a description already sufficiently summarised in the Introduction to the First and Second Diaries by Knox (pp. iii to v) and to the Third, Fourth and Fifth Diaries by Burton (pp. ix to xiii). The history of the MSS. is also so fully described by Dr. Knox and Canon Burton that it is hardly necessary to repeat it here.

Dr. Witham also gives a short account of each of the eleven presidents who had preceded him, and then harks back and from recollection reconstructs what he calls a "*Diarium Imperfecte Continuum* ab anno 1689 ad annum 1715,\* when he begins the Diary of his own reign. It is somewhat characteristic of his anxious character that he begins by relating at great length a tumult amongst discontented college students (which he calls a "rebellion") in October, 1689, which lasted nearly fifteen days. The new "Constitutions of the College" were confirmed the same year by the Cardinal of Norfolk, who was the Protector of England (p. 8). They had been written out *sub sigillo* by Robert Witham when he was in his first year of Theology.

Dr. Paston in the same year separated the *convictors* from the *alumni*. The *convictors* were chiefly lay students paying full fees for their board and lodging and tuition; the *alumni* were students whose intention was to seek ordination and to proceed on the English Mission. The latter were to a considerable extent supported by endowments.

From 1691, Dr. Witham begins monthly and yearly to relate the comings and goings of the superiors and principal students. He records those that took the Mission Oath, and those who were appointed as superiors. From an entry made in 1692, we see that the Schools began each year on the first day of October, the feast of St. Remi. This opening of the Schools is referred to pretty constantly as "in *Festis Remigialibus*."

In 1698 (p. 16) he records an apostasy (Blay). The same year Hugh Tootell, the famous author of "*Dodd's History of the Church*," is sent on the English Mission (p. 17). In 1699, March 9th, Robert Witham takes the degree of Licentiate in Theology at the University, along with Edward Hawarden, who was afterwards a D.D. and a well-known authority in theology.

In 1700 (p. 18) the numbers in the College were 90, with 7 servants. In 1702, there were 88 professors and students; in 1703, 100; in 1704, 87; in 1705, 91. In the year 1705, he records that accusations of Jansenism against the College and especially against Dr. Hawarden began to be secretly circulated.

In 1708 (p. 24), James Doyly, another apostate, is mentioned, ten years after the first. In 1709, the number of professors and students was 82.

In 1710 (p. 26), Dr. Delcourt and Dr. de Marq were appointed Visitors

\* By a misprint discovered too late for correction, this is given as 1725 on p. 7.



to the College, on account of the rumours of Jansenistic teaching, but as the city of Douay was invested by the Duke of Marlborough's forces on the 27th April and captured on the 29th June (when most of the College had taken refuge in Lille), nothing was done. In 1710, the result of the siege was such that the number of professors and students dropped to 63, and in 1711, the old Visitors were displaced. Two Canons of Malines were appointed in their room who freed the College from all suspicion of unsound doctrine, and they even gave high praise to its teaching. This crisis of the siege and the visitation have been admirably described by the late Canon Burton in his *Life and Times of Bishop Challoner* (vol. i, pp. 21-33).

By 1711, the household had again increased to 81, but in 1712 (p. 28) the city was besieged by Marshal Villars, in command of the French, from the Vigil of the Assumption to Christmas Day, when the French recaptured it. On this occasion the majority of the College had withdrawn to Arras and remained there till the siege was over. The effect of this siege was that the students again dropped to 68, but in 1713 they had increased to 95. On the 21st July, 1713 (p. 30) is recorded the death of Dr. Edward Paston, the eleventh President, who had been in office for twenty-six years.

From the concluding lines we see that this summary of Dr. Paston's presidency was written by Dr. Witham five years after the commencement of his own term of office.

The Diary proper begins, as is natural, with letters and documents relating to the election of Robert Witham, the writer, to be the twelfth President of Douay, and we learn (p. 33) that in 1715 there were 82 in College, of whom only six were students in theology, and nine in philosophy.

On p. 34 we read a brief but interesting account of the Rising of Lord Mar, Lord Derwentwater and Lord Widdrington and many nobles of Scotland, Northumbria and Lancaster and of the expedition of the Most Serene King of England, James III, "in mediis periculis semper intrepidus," against George, the Elector of Hanover.

On January 1st, 1716, Richard Challoner takes the Missionary Oath, and on the 14th (p. 35) letters are written from Dr. Ingleton, the King's Confessor, giving such a roseate view of the progress of the Rising in Scotland and the defeat of the Hanoverian Force by the Earl of Mar, the Marquis of Huntley and the Earl of Seaforth that "Lecto hoc faelici nuntio a Dno Praeside statim a prandio in Refectorio, omnes simul in sacello nostro Te Deum et Exaudiat recitavimus." On page 36 is related the failure of the Rising and the sentences of death passed on its leaders. "Die 22<sup>da</sup> Serenissimus Angliae Rex Jacobus 3<sup>tuus</sup> e Scotia reversus prope Caletum incolumis appulit, et simul cum Rege comes de Marr et 20 plus minus duces ac nobiles. Cum enim exercitus Regis vix quatuor hominum millibus constaret, iisque in bello minime exercitatis, temerarium seu potius impossibile ab omnibus judicatum fuit cum exercitu triplo majori veteranorum militum congre-  
gredi. Miraculo proximum visum est Regem nec mari nec terra

captum extinctumve fuisse, spectatâ praesertim tam ampla mercede iniquitatis quae sicario cuilibet promissa fuerat. Circa idem tempus sententia turpissimae crudelissimaeque mortis lata est contra Comitem de Darwenwater, de Widdrington, de Nithisdale Catholicos et contra tres alios comites seu Barones Scotos Protestantes in magnâ aulâ Westmonasteriensi tanquam rebellionis et perfidiae reos. Horum causa in iudicio examinata non fuit, eo quod se reos esse confitebantur, seque clementiae Regis Georgii submiserunt. In comitatu Lancastriensi complures qui cum illis pro restauratione Regis sui arma sumpserant, mortem hoc mense fortiter subierunt. "*Secundum magnitudinem brachii tui (Dne) posside filios mortificatorum, etc.*"

On March 6th, 1716, is related the execution of James Radcliffe, Earl of Derwentwater, with the contemporaneous witness that his life was offered him if he would abjure the Catholic Religion, the execution also of Lord Kenmure and the romantic escape of Lord Nithisdale. "Die 6ta mensis hujus stilo novo, 24<sup>to</sup> feb. stilo veteri Illustrm<sup>s</sup> Jacobus Radcliff comes de Darwenwater, vitam hanc mortalem cum immortali, ut sperare fas est, commutavit capitis abscissione: vita ipsi oblata est non semel a ministris Georgii, modo Catholicae renuntiaret Religioni, quibus constantissimè respondit se millies potius moriturum. verè igitur martyr occubuit. Eadem die amputatum est caput Comitis de Kenmure Protestantis natione scoti et intra mensis unius spatium quinquaginta et amplius in comitatu Lancastriensi, tanquam rebellionis rei, suspendio vitam finierunt. Hi ut plurimum erant Catholici, et inferioris conditionis nobiles; inter eos erat Georgius Collingwood de Eslington Armiger in comitatu Northumbriae, qui in matrimonio duxerat filiam Comitis Montis acuti. E carcere pridie quam morte subire deberet sub habitu comitissae suae, elapsus est Illustrissimus Comes de Nithisdale, qui ad hanc urbem veniens, convivio a nobis exceptus est."

On pp. 40-44 (August, 1716) are given the contemporary views of the Clergy, the Religious and the Vicars Apostolic relating to the Oath to King George which many had taken with the apparent approval of Bishop Stonor and Dr. Thomas Strickland (fourth son of Sir Thomas Strickland of Sizergh), who was afterwards Bishop of Namur. The Oath was objected to by the Internuncio at Brussels, Vincent Santini, and by the Bishop of Madaura (Bonaventure Giffard), the Benedictines and the Jesuits.

In December, 1716 (p. 46) the President is rather puzzled by a letter from Bishop Giffard saying that the Brussels Nuncio has authorised the Duke of Norfolk, and through him all Catholics, to take the Oath of Allegiance to King George, but consoles himself that no mention has been made of any authorisation by the Roman Pontiff. The two following pages show how much the President was exercised in his mind about this and how much he attributes it to the machinations of Dr. Strickland.

Page 52 gives the sad news that Sir John Hales had apostatised and had sent for his three boys. However, his grandson Edward, who succeeded him, was a Catholic.



In 1716, there were 115 in the College, including servants. In 1718, there were 114 in the College, including servants.

Under February, 1719 (p. 57), is the first mention of the objection of the Brussels Nuncio to Douay students going to Paris for the sake of theological studies. This caused great trouble between Douay and St. Gregory's, Paris, and is frequently referred to in future pages of the Diary. It also led to the difficulty of procuring graduates to teach theology. The objection was no doubt caused by the Jansenists and the Appellant Clergy. The difficulties caused by the latter are referred to several times in the Diary.

In April, 1719 (p. 58) we have the interesting statement that Richard Challoner, in his proceedings for the Licentiate in Theology, proposed for his last thesis that no Thomist could deny that the Holy Father was infallible. The Rector Magnificus of the University asked that this thesis should be postponed until he had consulted the French Court. The President refused, and himself wrote to the Chancellor of France, who did not reply, whereupon Dr. Witham says that "it is permitted to propose the doctrine of the Infallibility of the Sovereign Pontiff in this University." The Bishop of Arras, however, says that Dr. Challoner acted imprudently, on account of the difficult circumstances of the times.

On page 59, is chronicled the arrival of Lord Rivers and the marriage by proxy of Princess Clementina Sobieski to King James III.

On July 30th, 1719 (p. 59) the President is admitted to the "Actus Vesperiales"\* before taking the degree of Doctor in Theology. The next day, in honour of the event, he invited to a dinner in the College refectory a hundred of the chief persons of the city and the University, including the Governor and the Rector Magnificus.

In September (p. 61), a great blow to the College finances comes from the edict of the King of France reducing the interest on the Public Loan (*pro pecuniis in Banco Regio*) from 6 per cent. to 3 per cent. The result of this was to reduce the value of the scholarships or the number of scholarships held at the College. The President (p. 62) receives orders from the Propaganda, through Cardinal Paulucci, not to allow any of the students to go to any other college before the completion of their theological course, presumably for fear of their imbibing Gallican or Jansenist principles.

In 1719 there were in College 119 in all—masters, students and servants.

P. 65. More troubles caused by Dr. Strickland, who wishes the Catholics to renounce their legitimate king, the heir to the Kingdom, and to acknowledge the present king *de facto*.

On p. 70, is an interesting notice of Law, the Scotchman, and his Mississippi scheme and how it indirectly affected the College funds.

P. 71 (December, 1719). Some of King George's Cabinet proposed to the Duke of Norfolk that he and other Catholics should take the

\* *i.e.*, a disputation held publicly on the day before the degree day (see *Catholic Encyclopedia*, vol. V, p. 73).

Oath of Allegiance. The College sustained a further misfortune, because a decree of the King of France reduced the interest on the College investments to 2 per cent.

Pp. 71-74 are taken up with a justification of himself (the President) against the accusations of Laurence Breres and Hugh Tootell (Dodd), in which he incidentally states that he had paid off debts of forty thousand florins due by the College.

P. 82. In November, 1720, is noted the appointment of Lord Henry Howard, brother of the Duke of Norfolk, to be Coadjutor to Bishop Giffard in the London district, together with the sad loss caused by his premature death before consecration.

Pp. 84-85. Announcement of the birth and the baptism of the Prince of Wales at Rome on the 31st December, 1720. The names he received were: Charles Edward Louis John Casimir Silvester Maria. On the 28th January a *Te Deum* is sung for this event, and it is related in the Diary that the Sovereign Pontiff celebrated Mass at the English College in thanksgiving for the safe delivery of the child.

On 21st December, 1720 (p. 83), Dr. Witham offered his resignation. In the following month (p. 85), by letter the English Bishops refuse the resignation of the President.

On pp. 86-91 are described the difficulties of renewing the connection with the University of Douay so that some of the professors might compete for the Chairs of Theology in that University.

In October, 1721, there were 101 professors and students. In November (p. 93), Richard Challoner competes for a Chair in the University against Dr. Pharazin (Farazin, p. 87), a Canon of St. Amatus (Amé), in Douay. On December 4th, the judges adjudicate in favour of Dr. Pharazin, and against this decision Dr. Challoner appeals.\*

From an entry under May, 1722, (p. 97) we learn that the new wing of the College, 183 ft. long and 28 ft. wide, is to be erected, at a cost of forty thousand florins.

On 10th October following, (p. 101) is announced the arrival of Turbeville Needham, at the age of eight, who was later to be one of the few Catholics who were F.R.S. and F.S.A.†

P. 103, 4th January, 1723. The old building of the College and the Chapel began to be demolished, i.e., the western wing and the chapel, which were rebuilt after many misgivings on account of the impoverished state of the Catholics in England.

On pp. 105-109 is a fresh apology for his government and management of the College by Robert Witham. In the course of it he defends himself from being a hidden Jesuit.

P. 110. The foundation stone of the new chapel is laid on February 9th, 1723. The architect was A. J. Wattelin.

\* For a full account of this episode see Canon Edwin H. Burton's *Life of Bishop Challoner*, vol. I, pp. 51-54.

† It is much to be desired that a biography of this distinguished man should be published in some greater detail than the short life in the D.N.B. or in Gillow's *Dictionary*.



P. 113. Beginning with October, 1723, we have every year until 1736, a full list of all the professors, masters and scholars residing in the College. In this year the number was 105 in all.

P. 116. The new building of the College facing the street is completed in January, 1724. The architect shows the President plans for the other three sides of the square.

The theological disputations on the theses presented by the students are regularly recorded from April, 1724. Many of these theses, as well as the dictates of the professors, are now kept in the archives of St. Edmund's College, Old Hall.

On May 16th arrived John Betts, who afterwards became Master of Twyford School from 1732 till it closed in 1745. The school was afterwards revived at Standon Lordship (see p. 259).

In October, 1724, there were 109 in the College, with 11 servants (p. 121). In June of this year Alban Butler, the well-known author of the "Lives of the Saints," came to the College and was placed in the School of Grammar.

P. 122. In April, 1725, Ambrose Matherell (or Wells) was expelled for scandalous excess in drink. It is noted that he came from Valladolid and had been five months at Douay but had not been admitted as an alumnus. It is very difficult to reconcile this with the Valladolid record of apparently the same person.

P. 123. There is a very touching short biography of the President's brother, George Witham, Bishop of Marcopolitanus, the Vicar Apostolic first in the Midland and then in the Northern District, who had died suddenly.

P. 128. November, 1725. He notes that the Abbé Francois Baglion de la Salle is named Bishop of Arras (1725-1752), and Dr. Strickland is named by the Emperor, at the petition of George, the "so-called" (ut dicitur) King of England, Bishop of Namur. It is recorded that there is a dissension between James, the King of England, and his Queen about the governor of the Prince of Wales.

The decoration and furnishing of the new building is finished; a sum of £400 was sent this year from England for that purpose, and the next item is that the College of the English Jesuits at St. Omer was almost entirely burnt down on October 4th.

P. 134. At the end of the year 1726, there were 118 in the College, besides servants.

In February, 1727, Louis Brown, who had been expelled, apostatised.

P. 136. On May 27th, 1727, Challoner was made a Doctor of Theology.

P. 139. October, November, December, 1727. Thomas Strickland is consecrated Bishop of Namur. The Most Serene King of England stayed at Avignon in France, whilst the Queen, Prince of Wales and Duke of York stayed at Bologna in Italy.

P. 140. On December 24th, 1727, Alban Butler, then a student of Rhetoric, takes the College Oath.

P. 141. As has been noticed already, the Diary from June 19th to September 9th, 1728, is kept by Richard Challoner.

May, 1728. Cardinal Gualterius, the Protector of England, dies, and Cardinal Davia is appointed in his stead.

P. 149. October, 1729. The President makes a long address to all the students in Humanities, admonishing them of the necessity of the Greek language and of the use of Latin, and the common defect of bad handwriting and the poor taste they display in writing English—"et cum dedecore ignorant propriam maternam et vernaculam linguam."

P. 154. On August 18th 1730, Richard Challoner, who had taught theology for ten years and humanities for five years previously, leaves the College for the English Mission.

In October, 1730, there were 107 in the College, besides servants.

P. 162. In January, 1732, William Hassal is sent to the College of Lisbon, in accordance with a request of President Manley, to teach theology.

P. 168. In January, 1733, is recorded, with great grief and a testimony to his merits, the death of an old student of the College in the person of Thomas Howard, eighth Duke of Norfolk.

Pp. 169-171. April, 1733. There is printed at length the Instrument of Proxy granted to Lawrence Mayes, the agent of the English Clergy at Rome. This contains a passage which is discussed *infra*.

In October, 1733, there were 96 in the College, besides servants.

P. 175. In December, 1733, is recorded the capture of Milan by the French.

On p. 176, December 23rd, is an entry which is very intriguing, because it quotes from the Diary of Francis Gage, the President in 1679, that is, from the Sixth Diary, which as has already been explained, is missing.

Pp. 176-177. March, 1734. President Robert Witham relates how he has offered his resignation in 1720, in 1722 and in 1732, and proceeds on pp. 177-191 again to justify his character and conduct from the time that he has been President. He shows that he has paid all the College debts, kept the accounts accurately, defended the College against the accusations of Jansenism, and maintained its strict orthodoxy and devotion to the Holy See. He explains his action in not sending students to the Seminary of St. Gregory of Paris to take degrees at the Sorbonne, and maintains that the theological teaching in Douay was deep and broad enough for the clergy. But he finds it difficult to defend the isolated position of the College, which was now undoubtedly well disciplined, well taught and well furnished up to a certain level, and he says: "Nondum oblitus sum in antiquioribus Collegii Duaceni Regulis, formati a Patre Pers[oni]o et arte Jesuitarum, insertam fuisse ad nostrum dedecus hanc clausulam, ut *praestantioris ingenii juvenes ad alia Collegia sub regimine Patrum mitterentur, et reliqui inferioris ingenii et capacitatis remanerent duaci*, unde infame dictum, of Douay dunces." (p. 188-9).

He points out that this College has already had more than 140 Martyrs—more, he says, than all other Colleges and Religious Houses put together.



P. 192. On March 30th was received the sad news of the death on March 12th, at the age of 94, of Bonaventure Giffard, who had been Vicar Apostolic from 1688 to 1734, that is, for forty-six years. He left his heart to be buried in the College Chapel, with this only inscription: "*Hic jacet Cor Bonaventurae Giffard hujus Collegii Alumnii.*" But at p. 194, it will be seen how the inscription has been enlarged:

Cor  
Illustmi et Rdmi D. Bonaventurae Giffard,  
Epi Madaurensis Vic Apost in Anglia.  
Collegii Anglo Duac Alumnii  
Quod  
In perpetuam amoris ac Benevolentiae tesseram  
dicto Collegio moriens legavit  
Obiit die 12 Martii S.V. 1734.  
aetatis 93.

In the year 1734, there were 91 in the College, besides servants (p 197).

In October of that year the President becomes suddenly ill and is deprived of the use of speech for some days, but was able to write as usual.

On the 18th January, 1735, is recorded the death of the Queen of Great Britain (Maria Clementina Sobieski) at Rome, in the odour of sanctity. On February 15th, the Requiem "pro anima reginae nostrae" took place (p. 199).

On the last day of January, according to custom, the Benedictine Superiors\* came to dine with the College Superiors. The President says that originally this dinner was provided as a sign of friendship between the two Colleges by the will of Richard Ireland, who was formerly Head Master of Westminster School (1590-1610), and who had become a Catholic. Although there was no longer any revenue derived under the will, still so great was their friendship that they continued this annual dinner as a sign of love and peace.

On the 7th March, 1735, the foundation stone of the western portion of the College was laid.

P. 200. In March, 1735, a letter was received from King James, dated February 22nd, and addressed to Dr. Witham, which says that his Holiness sends a supply for the reparation of the College "which is to be taken out of what this Treasury gains by a Lottery, that is drawn nine Times a year." To this letter the President replies at considerable length.

P. 218. In April, 1738, Dr. Witham's handwriting ceases, and the record of Robert Witham, who is responsible for the greater part of this Diary, and who was one of the greatest of the Presidents of Douay, is closed on May 29th with the notice:—

"Die 29 Pie Obiit Ex. D. ac Mag. Noster D. Robertus Witham, S. Facultatis Duacensis Doctor Theologus et hujus Collegii Praeses meritissimus, omnibus ecclesiae Sacramentis Rite munitus, aetatis suae anno 70 Praesidentiae 24. Sub cujus regimine floruerat plurimum hoc Collegium R.I.P."

\* i.e., of the Community now at Downside.

The Diary is continued until September 29th, 1747, by the Vice-President, the Rev. Francis Petre (*vere Squibb*).

P. 219. On June 1st, there came to the College James Talbot, brother of Lord Shrewsbury, who was afterwards Vicar Apostolic of the London District (1781-1790).

P. 221. Under February, 1739, is given the Decree of the Cardinals of Propaganda, signed by Cardinal Vincenzo Petra, appointing William Thornburgh as President in the place of Robert Witham.

In 1739 there were 126 in the College besides servants.

P. 225. June, 1740. "Die 14 Junii Vesperias aulae suae Doctoralis celebravit Erud. D. Gul Green, Eximo D. Praeside terminorum Interprete."

On June 15th William Green is made a Doctor of Theology. He in time became the successor of Dr. Thornburgh and continued the writing of this Diary.

In this year, 1740, the numbers in the College are higher than usual—132, besides servants, (p. 227), and this may be considered the result of Dr. Witham's firm and regular rule.

On March 19th, 1741, which was Passion Sunday, Edward Dicconson was consecrated Bishop of Mallus and Vicar Apostolic of the Northern District of England, at Ghent, by the Bishop of that diocese, with two priest assistants (by papal dispensation), namely, the President (William Thornburgh) and James Whitenhall; and on Holy Saturday Bishop Dicconson holds the ordinations in the College at Douay and, on the following Tuesday, confirms twenty-three of the students.

In 1741, there were 132 in College, and in 1742, 126, besides servants.

On the 30th April, 1743, Bishop Challoner comes from England to visit the College (p. 235). He had just published the two volumes of his "Memoirs of Missionary Priests," which, together with the "Garden of the Soul" and the "Meditations," have made Richard Challoner's name a household word amongst English Catholics. A great part of the "Memoirs" was edited by him from manuscripts copied for him by Alban Butler, who, as we know, was a professor at Douay in these years.\* Bishop Challoner was now beginning his well-known work "Britannia Sancta"—one of the most complete attempts to relate the lives of the English saints.†

On May 5th and 12th (p. 236), he preached in the College Chapel and gave confirmation to the students of the College, as well as to those of the English Benedictines and the Scotch Jesuits, and also to some of the natives of Douay. On May 13th he went to Lille. In 1743, there were 127 in the College (p. 235).

In January, 1744, James Webb comes as a boy to begin his studies. He was tried for his priesthood before Lord Mansfield in June, 1768, and was acquitted for want of proof.

P. 243. September, 1745. Solemn High Mass was sung in the College

\* Alban Butler's MSS. are now at Oscott College (see *Memoirs of Missionary Priests*, ed. J. H. Pollen, 1924, pp. xiii-xiv).

† See Canon Burton's *Life of Bishop Challoner*, vol. I, pp. 216-230.



Chapel for the "happy success of the Prince of Wales in the expedition which he had undertaken against George, the Elector of Hanover, the unjust usurper of the English Crown." On October 7th a Solemn High Mass was sung for the success of the arms of the Prince of Wales, again on October 13th, and thenceforward at least once in every week. On December 20th, and the two following days, the Devotion of the Forty Hours was held, by consent of the Bishop of Arras, for the happy success of the arms of the Prince of Wales.

On January 10th, 1746, Solemn High Mass was sung for the happy success of the arms of the Prince of Wales, and the President entertained all in the College, the Superiors of the Benedictines, the Franciscans and the Jesuits, to dinner.

P. 245. April 20th. The President went to Arras to pay his respects to Prince Henry, Duke of York, by whom he was admitted to kiss his hand and to a conversation with him, with wonderful politeness and benevolence. On the 27th, Joseph Sall went to Arras to receive the commands of the Prince and to become his Confessor for a short while.

P. 246. On the 14th June, the Duke of York passed through Douay and admitted all the members of the College to kiss his hand.

In 1745, there were 115 in the College, and 112 in 1746, besides servants.

P. 250. On the 23rd September, 1747, Mr. Petre's handwriting ceases, and the Diary is continued by Dr. William Green, who subsequently became President.

October 24th. Dr. William Thornburgh becomes very ill and goes to Paris. On the 29th July following, he went to England for the sake of his health. (p.255).

In 1748, there were 94 in College, besides servants.

In October, 1749 (p. 260), Alban Butler is called to the English Mission by the President, who was still remaining in England. On the 17th of the same month is chronicled the arrival of James Willacy, who subsequently became Head Master of Old Hall from 1769 to 1791.

On the 4th March, 1750, in England, at his eldest brother's house in Yorkshire, in the fifty-first year of his age and twenty-seventh of his priesthood, after three years and more of illness, died William Thornburgh, fortified by the Rites of the Church. He had been President of the College for eleven years.

P. 264. On the 7th July, 1750, Dr. William Green is appointed President, in place of Dr. William Thornburgh. The new President wrote letters to King James, the Cardinal Protector, the Cardinal Duke of York, and the Nuncio at Brussels.

There were 111 in College at the end of 1750, besides servants. It is noted as a year of calamity. First, the death of William Thornburgh; secondly, sickness all through the winter and spring; thirdly, the finances of the College, as far as they depended upon the French investments, were in jeopardy; fourthly, John Dunn,\* the only pro-

\* See *Biographies of English Catholics*, by John Kirk, ed. Pollen and Burton, 1909, p. 67.

fessor of theology besides the President, was detained in England against the will of the President; and lastly, six scholars, mostly of noble birth, died.

From p. 272 onwards, letters or names affixed to the names of the students indicate the scholarships or funds by which they were maintained, and lists of them, which we owe to Canon Burton, are appended as footnotes to pp. 272 and 280.

February, 1751 (p. 274). Note is taken that by the Royal Decrees of 1749 concerning the government of Universities, Douay College would be prejudiced, because Article 182 of these Decrees would make it difficult to teach theology.

On pp. 274-276 are inserted extracts from the Register of the University of Douay of the year 1721, concerning the *concursus* of Dr. Challoner and Dr. Pharazin for the Divinity Chair in the University.

Under March 31st, 1751 (p. 277), is noted the death in London of Frederick, "styled" Prince of Wales, eldest son of George II.

At the end of the year 1751 the numbers were 114, besides servants (p. 282).

In March, 1752, the death of Francis Baglion de la Salle, Bishop of Arras, is recorded (p. 283).

In April, 1752, Jean de Bonneguise is named Bishop of Arras, which See he held from 1752 to 1766.

On July 5th, 1752, the question of teaching theology by qualified professors is raised. This is owing to the Decree already mentioned under February, 1751.

Under August, 1753, is summarised the well-known Brief *Regulae Observandae in Anglicanis Missionibus*, which, amongst other things, regulates the relations between the Secular Clergy and the Regulars (p. 294).

In October, 1753, there were 115 in College.

P. 299. On March 25th is noted the new Marriage Act of 1753, which, passed for the purpose of preventing clandestine marriages, compelled Catholics to resort to the Protestant Ministers to secure the validity of their marriage.

After May, 1754, Dr. Green's handwriting ceases, and the Diary, which for some time had been a very abbreviated summary of events for the month, becomes a short abstract of events for each year till 1778, and this addition, as the text tells us, is made from memory.

P. 301. On August 6th, 1762, was published the Edict of the Parliament of Paris expelling all the Jesuits within its jurisdiction. One consequence of this was that the English College of St. Omer passed under the rule of clergy sent from Douay.

In 1765, Alban Butler is appointed President of St. Omer (p. 302).

In 1768 was celebrated the second centenary of the foundation of Douay. During this year two Douay priests, Philip Perry and Joseph Shepherd, became President and Vice-President respectively of the English College at Valladolid, taking the place of the Jesuits who had been expelled (p. 302).



In June, 1770, was laid the foundation stone of the east wing of the College.

On August 22nd William Green resigned his Office, and the same day Henry Tichbourne Blount became the fifteenth President of Douay. On December 1st Dr. William Green died.

On p. 303 is noted the Papal Bull of 1773 suppressing the Society of Jesus: "Annus, si quis alius, posterorum memoriae tradendus ob Insignis Societatis Jesu insignem ubique dissolutionem Clem: 14<sup>th</sup> Breve Laetiferum *Dnus ac Redemptor* datum est ad perpetuam rei memoriam 21 Julii anno quinto et proh dolor, poene ultimo Papae illius Dignissimi Pontificatus, paucos enim quid si quindecim post menses modo adhuc nobis ignoto, est mortuus. *In pace sit locus ejus.*"

In the same year died Alban Butler, President of the College of St. Omer, so widely known by his "Lives of the Saints."

In 1774 were built the bakery and granary and other college offices, at an expense of four thousand pounds, contributed by the English Catholic gentry.

On May 10th of that year died the most Christian King Louis XV.

On September 22nd, "to the greatest grief, except perhaps of some friends of the Society, died the most holy and illustrious Pontiff Clement XIV. There were various and uncertain rumours about the cause of his death." In February, 1775, is noted the election of Pius VI (p. 304).

Under 1777 we are referred for the names of the members of the College to the Catalogue kept by the Procurator (p. 306). This book, now preserved at St. Edmund's College, Old Hall, it is hoped to include in another volume as soon as possible.

In the same year is recorded the death of Edward Howard, Earl Marshal, Duke of Norfolk. He was succeeded by Charles Howard of Graystock, who had been a student at Douay.

P. 306. The summary for the year 1778 is entirely taken up with notes on the first Relief Act, which was passed in that year, and a copy of the Oath of Allegiance, and with these the Diary comes to an end. After this follows the "Advice to a President" by Robert Witham, which occupies pp. 308 to 326, and is well worth reading. It gives us considerable knowledge of the habits and way of life of the members of the College, related from the point of view of the Superior. This again is followed by some miscellaneous papers, of which one—"The State of the English College of Douay"—evidently written under Dr. Green, would have been of the greatest value if it were complete, but at the most interesting point several pages have unfortunately disappeared.

It may be observed that in regard to money matters and questions of payment, Douai had chiefly to deal with the Clergy in London and especially with the Vicar-Apostolic of the London District. All the priests had doubtless to pass through London on their way to their Missions. They would have found in London the Clergy Library

in Gray's Inn,\* the house of the Vicar-Apostolic and one or two secret chapels—the only places of Catholic worship of any size being the chapels of the Catholic Ambassadors and Ministers, and the old Chapel at Moorfields, which existed from at least 1733 until it was burned down in the Gordon Riots of 1780.

The ages of the students varied. We find on p. 34, under date of May 5th, 1716, that there were at Douay the three sons of Sir John Hales, Bart.—James, aged eleven, Alexander, aged six, and Philip, only five years old, who could not read or write. The average age of entry seems to have been between twelve and fifteen, and we may imagine how sorrowful must have been the partings between mother and children in the old castles and manor houses of England in the early eighteenth century, for the boys for the most part had to remain many years without seeing their homes, on account of the severity of the penal laws which were from time to time enforced. These boys, if they were laymen, seem to have left the College at about seventeen or eighteen years of age. The Law would not allow them to enter the Universities or any profession without taking oaths against their conscience. Their lives in any case must have been difficult, but especially so if they had no estates to occupy their time, or, as in a few cases, sufficient learning and interest to pursue some study.

Those that embraced the ecclesiastical state remained for two years' study of philosophy and three years' study of theology, at the end of which time they were sent on the English Mission. A few that were considered more suitable were retained to teach in the College, and of these some were sent to the University at Douay, and, later, to the University of Paris, to take the degrees of Licentiate and Doctor in Philosophy or Theology. From these again were selected those who were to be Superiors or Seniors in the government of the College. Those who went on the English Mission would be about twenty-five years old, and the graduates in philosophy or theology would be between thirty and forty years of age.

Allusion is made by Dr. Witham to "capmen," who are apparently those senior students who wore "caps," or, as we should say, "birettas." In the notes it is often stated that some of the clergy were "Capitulars," or "Chaptermen." This refers to the fact that in 1623 Dr. William Bishop was appointed as Vicar-Apostolic for all England and was the first bishop to exercise jurisdiction since the extinction of the Catholic Episcopate under Elizabeth. He had erected a chapter, and according to the usual Catholic practice, this body would exercise jurisdiction during the vacancy of the diocese and by analogy, of an episcopal district. On his death in 1624, the Chapter governed the Church until Bishop Smith came as Vicar-Apostolic in 1625. He confirmed the Chapter set up by his predecessor. Dr. Smith lived until 1655, by which time under the Commonwealth the Independents were the chief

\* See Kirk's *Biographies*, p. 24.



religious body and the Anglican Church practically disestablished. When Bishop Smith died, Pope Alexander VII tacitly allowed the Deans of the Chapter to exercise the necessary jurisdiction until the Holy See made new arrangements. This state of things lasted for thirty years, during which the Chapter gave faculties to the Clergy. The Chapter came to consist of twenty-four clergymen, the head being the Dean, and it included archdeacons, who under the Dean, exercised ecclesiastical control over the several districts of England. This body also acquired considerable property. Its administration was so well-known for its exactness that many Catholics entrusted their charitable funds to its care. The Dean and Chapter ceased to exercise jurisdiction when the new Vicar-Apostolic was appointed in 1685. On the restoration of the Diocesan Episcopate in 1850, the members of the Chapter surrendered to the Bishops the portions of their funds specially designated for each of the new dioceses. The name of "Chapter" was then changed to that of "The Old Brotherhood of the Secular Clergy," and this body continues to be governed by its own elected heads—a President, Secretary, Treasurer and Auditors. It kept its tercentenary in 1923, and is still historically representative of our old Colleges and of the senior clergy of England.

On p. 170, the phrase "*etiam quinque locorum montis Sti Petri primae creationis et septem locorum cum dimidio montis fidei, et quatuor locorum montis facinae restaurati petendum et exigendum et recuperandum*" occasioned some difficulty, but through the kindness of Mgr. Heard, Auditor of the Rota, it has been ascertained that a "Monte" was a State Loan with a fixed interest; further, that each Loan had a special name; for example, Clement VII in 1526 issued the "Monte della Fede" at 10 per cent., secured on the Customs. The translation of the above passage then would be; "and also, to seek, demand and recover 5 bonds of the first issue of the Monte de San Pietro, 7½ bonds of the Monte della Fede, and 4 bonds of the Monte Facina, 2nd issue (or re-issue)."

Two events of great interest are recorded in the Diary. On p. 4 is recorded the establishment of the new English College at Lisbon, which was founded from Douay in 1628, and, of equal interest, we read on p. 259 (July, 1749):

"In missionem profectus est Rev. D. Jac. Postlewhate musaei Praefectus: ut in Villâ Standonianâ in Comitatu Hartfordiensi Scholam regeret. On p. 265, we find (August, 1750): "In Angliam missus est R: D: Arthurus Vaughan, ut Dnum Jac: Postlewhate in scholâ Standonianâ docenda adjuvaret."

From these two entries we learn that Standon School was also a Douay foundation; it was instituted in a house at Standon Lordship, Herts., belonging to the heiresses of Lord Aston. At their death it was moved to Hare Street, and then to Old Hall, which had been purchased for that purpose by Bishop Talbot in 1769. From the entry on p. 259,

the School seems to have been already in existence, and we know from other sources that it was the successor of a school at Twyford, near Winchester, which had been established there in 1686 and had been closed in 1745 for fear of the consequences of the Jacobite Rising. It was to this school, as will be seen more particularly, it is hoped, in a later volume of this series, that the Vice-President and the Douay students, with their books and some of their professors, came in 1793 and were formed into St. Edmund's College by Bishop Douglas on November 16th (St. Edmund's Day) of that year. Later, the Northern students were housed at Crook Hall, Durham, and settled subsequently at St. Cuthbert's College, Ushaw. In this way St. Edmund's, Old Hall, descends from Douay, both as a successor of Standon School and by the advent of the Vice-President of Douay and the other professors and students, as related above. (See *History of St. Edmund's College*, by Mgr. Bernard Ward, p. 49).

For the clearer understanding of events very slightly recorded in the "Diary," but reflected throughout in their effects, it may be noted that the Popes of the period were:—

Clement XI	..	..	..	..	1700-1721
Innocent XIII	..	..	..	..	1721-1724
Benedict XIII	..	..	..	..	1724-1730
Clement XII	..	..	..	..	1730-1740
Benedict XIV	..	..	..	..	1740-1758
Clement XIII	..	..	..	..	1758-1769
Clement XIV	..	..	..	..	1769-1774
Pius VI	..	..	..	..	1775-1799

and that the Prefects of Propaganda were:—

Paluzzi degli Albertoni Altieri, Paluzzo	1671-1698
Barberini, Carlo .. .. .	1698-1704
Sacripante, Giuseppe .. .. .	1704-1727
Petra, Vincenzo .. .. .	1727-1747
Valenti-Gonzaga, Silvio .. .. .	1747-1756
Spinelli, Guiseppe .. .. .	1756-1763

The printing of this Diary was a very necessary undertaking because the complete history of the Catholic Church in England from 1550 to 1800 cannot be written until the whole of the Diaries of Douay College—including the Prefect of Studies' Book now at Old Hall—are annotated and made accessible. Secondly, it is very interesting on account of the genealogical information which it conveys, as may be seen from the frequent references to the Catholic families of Anderton, Aston, Bellew, Blundell, Blount, Brockholes, Dalton, Darell, Dillon, Eyre, Giffard, Heneage, Howard, Jerningham, Kendal, Langdale, Maire, Mostyn, Needham, Petre, Plunkett, Rivers, Salkeld, Stonor, Strickland, Talbot, Tichbourne, Townley, Webb, Weld and others.

Thirdly, it shows that the English College of Douay was the mother of our present Colleges of Lisbon, Valladolid, Ushaw, Old Hall and therefore indirectly of Oscott and Cotton, where now are educated the majority of the English diocesan clergy. They will be inspired by the constancy of their predecessors who, amid so many dangers and difficulties, preserved the faithful College at Douay for over two hundred years.

The Council acknowledges with gratitude the permission of His Eminence the Cardinal Archbishop of Westminster to publish this MS., which is preserved in the Diocesan archives.

Grateful thanks are due to the Rev. Harold Burton, to the Rev. John E. Howell, and to Mr. G. F. Engelbach for help in reading the proofs, to the Very Rev. Canon John R. Fletcher for valuable suggestions and to Mr. R. C. Baigent for seeing the volume through the press.

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# THE SEVENTH DOUAY DIARY.

1715 to 1778.

## Diarium seu Hemerologium

7mum

An. 1715.

et etiam quodammodo sunt anni viginti duo viz. ab an. 1692  
714 quo spatio penitus interruptum et omissum fuerat ab Exim  
ston Diarium Collegii. Suppletum autem est a me R.W.\*  
1.

*ath this title the following note is written.]*

—By a letter from Doc. William Thornburgh dated July 9, 1736  
may, are these words: this day I sent to Dunkirk by your orders  
xes containing in all 163 sets of your New Testament translated  
glish with notes. I shall give Mr. Winckley timely notice to  
the said Boxes to Mr. Brussels a great friend and acquaintance

were to be sent to Bishop Lloid not as a present but who  
ed to pay me for them by Retributions of Masses said by the  
of his diocese at the value of six Livers French money for each  
h makes 978 liv. French.

*[The following accounts are written on the reverse of the title*

out towards the building of the new part of the Colledge and  
an. 1722, 1723 et 1724.‡

s when the contract was signed for the house	flor.
.. 1722 .. .. .	20,016 00 00
when the contract was sign'd for the new Church	
just 1722 .. .. .	16,750 00 00
ye augmentation by vaulting the Church 8br.	
2 .. .. .	02,654 00 00
8 of the beams we were to furnish .. ..	00,946 00 00
8 oaks more .. .. .	00,954 00 00
8 oaks more for beams .. .. .	00,946 00 00
Watling§ in part for building more .. ..	10,000 00 00
all till Jan. 1 <sup>st</sup> 1723 .. .. .	52,266 00 00

t Witham.

memorandum was written by Dr. Witham in extreme old age within two  
is death in May 1738. It is difficult to understand why it should have been  
in the title page of the College Diary Dr. William Thornburgh was his  
as President. "Bishop Lloid" was Sylvester Lloyd then Bishop of Killala  
s translated to Killaloe and subsequently to Lismore. He died in Paris 20  
1.

er entry of later date inserted on the reverse of the title-page.  
rchitect, Antoine Joseph Wattelin.



N.B. the loss we had by making a bargain to furnish the undertaker with beams viz. 40 absolutely and the equivalent in trees for 20 more.

Item more for 8 beams not counted in 7 <sup>br</sup>	..	..	946
Id est in all March 22. 1723	..	..	53,212 00 00
Item for a new wall and windows	..	..	00,716 00 00
			53,928 00 00
Item advanced him more for building	..	..	10,800 00 00
Item the workmen at different times	..	..	00,074 10 00
In all May 15, 1723	..	..	64,802 10 00
Item paid Wattelin more July 9 <sup>th</sup>	..	..	6,120 00 00
To ye workmen at different times	..	..	82 00 00
Item to ye workmen Aug. and 7 <sup>br</sup>	..	..	15 11 3
Item in part to Watlin building and augmentation 7 <sup>br</sup>			
7 <sup>th</sup>	..	..	1794
Item to ye workmen	..	..	17 19 00
Item in part to Watlin	..	..	962 16 00
Item in part to Watlin 10 <sup>br</sup> 11	..	..	1,000 14
Item to Watlin Jan. for several bargains	..	..	4,252
In all feb. 22 1724	..	..	79,047 10 03
Item Mr. Brockholes* paid for 95 oaks in order to serve for beams of wch 4 only were fit to serve first for 40 oaks	..	..	2470
Item in part for ye 55	..	..	216
Item for duties upon them	..	..	247
Item for carting and entring	..	..	162
Item carting more	..	..	616
Item duties and carting more	..	..	225 08 1
In all	..	..	3936 08 1
Item more for the 55 oaks	..	..	1963 04
In all for trees	..	..	5899 12 1

Out of this to be deducted what we got in firing and what we can sell ye remaining trees for.

The remaining oaks sold for 1000<sup>flor</sup>

[The text of the Diary now begins.]

[p. 3]. Initio anni Dni 1716 Ego Robertus Witham Sacrae Theol: Licentiatu et Praeses hujus collegii duodecimus, quâ potui diligentia investigare coepi Diaria seu Hemerologia in quibus describi solebant praecipuae res gestae, quae ad Collegium Anglorum Duacenum quoquo modo spectare poterant et inveni hanc utilem et laudabilem consuetudinem saepe fuisse interruptam. Quae autem ad memoriam scriptis commendata sunt, in sex libris manuscriptis inveniuntur.

Primum Diarium inscribitur *Catalogus sacerdotum* etc.† Incipit a

\* The Rev. Thomas Brockholes, then Procurator.

† The First and Second Diaries were edited by the Fathers of the Congregation of the London Oratory with an Historical Introduction by Thomas Francis Knox D.D. Cong. Orat. and published by David Nutt, London. 1878.

primâ Collegii fundatione sub primo illius Praeside Doctore (postea Cardli) Alano an 1568, et desinit an 1580, vix aliud complectitur quam nomina illorum qui ad hoc collegiũ accesserunt, qui in Angliam missi sunt, et qui martyrio cor[o]nati sunt.

Ex: D Gul: Alanus  
1<sup>ma</sup> Praeses An:  
1568.

2<sup>dum</sup> Diarium incipit ab an 1575 et desinit an. 1593.\* In hoc Diario an 1578, omnes Angli de mandato magistratuum Duaco expulsi sunt. D. Alanus Praeses aliq cum illo Rhemis recepti studia prosecuti sunt. An 1587, D. Alanus Cardinalis creatus fuit. Anno 1588 28 9bris pr litteras Emntsmi Cardinalis Alani, utriusq seminarii (Duaceni scilicet et Rhemensis) visitatoris, Ex D. Richardus Barretus declaratus est Praeses. Ann. 1592, plurimi studiosi Duacum missi sunt.

2<sup>da</sup> Praeses Ex. D.  
Rich: Barret an.  
1588.

Tertium Hemerologium,\* incipit an: 1598, posteaquam ut ibidem in initio dicitur interrupta fuerat per annos 5 consuetudo scribendi res nostras, et desinit an. 1633.

In hoc Diario an. 1599 die 20 Maii mortuus est D. Barret Praeses. Dicitur ibidem illius regimen incidisse in tempora aerumnosa, et quaedam ab omnibus non adeo probata fuisse, eodem anno die 30 Julii pr litteras Protectoris Exim. D: Thom Worthington, constitutus est praeses et D. Kellisonus Vicepraeses, uterq ad triennii spatium tantum. Eodem anno jussu Protectoris confessarius ordinarius collegii constitutus est Pater e Societate Anglus, Nicolaus Smithaeus, illoq munere per 9 annos functus est, cui successit Rich. Coulingus Angl<sup>1</sup> ejusdem societ[at]is. In illius locum ante annum elapsum suffectus est Thom Coniers Jesuita Anglus. Anno 1602 ex hoc coll. in messem Anglicanam missi fuerant sacerdotes 400 et amplius ex quibus 93 martyres spatio 30 annorum. An 1610 24 Maii mortuus est Personius Jesuita Coll: Angl. Romani Rector. Anno 1613 die 15 maii a sanct[ita]te sua vocatus, Romam petiit Ex. Dn. Thom Worthingtonus Praeses, die 10 Junii Exim Dn. Matt. Kellisonus a Rdsmo nuntio Apos: in Belgio declaratus est huj<sup>s</sup> collegii *Regens* et die 11 novbris huj<sup>s</sup> Coll: Praeses litteris ejusdem nuntii. An 1619 scholares qui in Scholis patrum Societatis litteris humanioribus incubuissent domum sunt revocati et magistri ipsis praepositi: vide occasionem in diario, illo an. die 27. Maii.

3<sup>ta</sup> Praeses Ex D.  
Thom Worthingtonus an: 1599.

4. Praeses Exim.  
Dn. Matt. Kellison<sup>s</sup>  
an. 1613.

[p. 4]. Patres Societatis a Cardli Farnesio Protectore ipsis addictissimo litteras et mandata obtinuerunt quibus remitti jubentur scholares nostri ad scholas Jesuitarum etc. his lectis a Vicep Champneio, responsum dedit nuntio Apost. in Belgio in absntia Praesidis. Praeses domũ reversus scribit ad Emntsum Protectorem et ad Viceprotectorem vide etiam litteras D. Gul. Harrisoni Archipresbytri Angliae ad nuntium in Belgio: et egregias litteras ejusdem Archipresbytri cum suis 11 Assistent-

\* The Third, Fourth and Fifth Diaries were printed in 1911 by the Catholic Record Society, Vols. X and XI.



ibus ad SSmū Paulum 5<sup>to</sup> Pont. max: quibus lectis et auditis revocati sunt articuli prius missi a Protectore et permissum est Praesidi, si vellet, domi scholas h[ab]ere pro omnibus etiam in Gramaticā. patet etiam alumnis aliisq permissum fuisse habere confessariū ordinarum e nostris, licet quo tempore antea desierant h[ab]ere Jesuitam notatum non invenio, sed ex litteris Praesidis Romam missis constat ejusmodi Jesuiticum Confessariū de consensu sedis Apostolicae amotum fuisse.

In eodem Diario an 1622. 26 8bris vide relationem postulatā a secretario Rmi nuntii in Belgio et factam ab Exim Dno Praeside Kellisono de omnibus familiis Religiosis et saecularibus Anglorum et imprimis hujus Collegii a quo tunc temporis ait missos fuisse in Angliam mille fere sacerdotes, e quibus 110 martyrium passi fuissent, numerat etiam ex eodem Collegio 33 sacrae Theologiae Doctores, Scriptores 21, vide [etia]m quae scribit de collegio Audomarensi etc.

An. 1623 Sapientiss<sup>s</sup> D. Gulielmus Bishop D<sup>r</sup> Sorbonicus consecratus fuit Epus Chalcedonensis, mittendus in Angliā cum jurisdictione ordinariā aut quasi ordinariā in Regnis Angliae et Scotiae vide Bullam Ibidem. Anno 1624 13 Aprilis Stylo veteri mortuus est in Anglia Rd<sup>ms</sup> Epus Chalcedonensis. vide breviarium rerum ab illo gestarum, et quomodo de consilio plurimorum in Gallia et Belgia Capitulum cum jurisdictione ordinaria in Anglia instituerit.

An. 1628 complures ex hoc Collegio Ulissiponem missi sunt ad fundandum novum illic Collegium Anglorum.

Quartum Hemerologium incipit a morte Ex: D. Praesidis Kellisoni an 1641 21 Januarii, cum jam a 9 annis intermissus fuisset laudabilis mos summatis res nostras scribendi.

Anno 1641 R. D. Georgius (Muscottus) Moschettus litteris Cardlis Barberini Protectoris constitutus est Praeses, litteris  
 5<sup>ta</sup> Praeses R.D. scilicet datis 4<sup>to</sup> Maii, Urbani Papae 8<sup>vi</sup> an 18<sup>vo</sup> Cum  
 Georgi<sup>us</sup> Moschettus munus Regiminis in se suscepit, Collegium grav-  
 an. 1641. issimo aeris alieni pondere gravabatur, viz. 44,583  
 flor-19<sup>d</sup>-00.

An 1642 19 Aug vide crudele martyrium Hugonis Green.

Anno 1645 30 10<sup>bris</sup> ex hac vita discessit R. D. Moschettus Praeses cujus durante regimine Collegium auctum est ultra 25000 millia floren-  
 orum illis aerumnosis temporibus in Anglia.

Anno 1646 die 21 Julii litteris Cardlis Capponii Protectoris Innoc  
 6<sup>ta</sup> Praeses R.D. 10<sup>mi</sup> an 2<sup>do</sup> R. D. Gulielmus Hydaeus constitutus  
 Gul<sup>us</sup> Hydaeus an. est Praeses. an. 1647 8<sup>va</sup> feb<sup>r</sup> concessa est a Pro-  
 1646. tectore Cauponio Dno Praesidi licentia *se Doctorandi*.

Quintum Diarium incipit an. 1647. An. 1651 die 22 10<sup>bris</sup> mortuus est Exim. D. Gul: Hydaeus Praeses.

An: 1652 Jul. 22 per litteras Cardlis Barbarini Protectoris Praeses  
 7<sup>ma</sup> Praeses Ex D. hujus Collegii constitutus est Ex D. Georgius Leyburn.  
 Geor. Leyburn an. An. 1654 die 25 Aprilis desinit 5<sup>ta</sup> Diarium.  
 1652.

[p. 5]. Ab an 1654 qui fuit 2<sup>ds</sup> Exim D. Georgii Leyburni Praesidis nullum invenio Diarium aut rerum gestarum narrationem usq. ad an:

R.D. Joan. Leyburn 1676 ie per 22 annos quibus Praesidebant Ex D. G. 8<sup>us</sup> Praeses an. 1670. Leyburnus et post ipsum R. D. Joan. Leyburn postea Epus Adrumetensis et Vicar. Apostolicus in Angliā. Interim in MSS. quodam quod inscribitur catalogus omnium sacerdotum, reperio R. D. Joannem Leyburn fuisse Praesidem an 1670. Igitur per duodeviginti annos videtur Ex D. G. Leyburn Praesidis locum tenuisse quo spatio elapso aut sponte sua dimisit munus praedictum aut ab eodem amotus est [*in margin*, dicitur renuntiationem fecisse in literis constituentibus successorem]: nam compluribus e nostris displicuit modus quo Collegium gubernavit, et dicitur magis quam par erat addictus Jesuitarum commodis. In illius locum suffectus est nepos ipsius R. D. Joan. Leyburn Praeses dignissimus, qui post sex annos renuntiationem fecit sui officii Emntsmo Fr. Card. Barberino Protectori, ut dicitur in litteris ejusdem Protectoris, cum. [*blank*]

Anno 1676 die 25 Jan. Praeses hujus Collegii ab 9<sup>us</sup> Praeses Ex. D. eodem Protectore constitutus est Ex: et Sapientiss. F. Gage an. 1676. sinus magister noster Fran. Gage Doc: Sorbonicus.

Hemerologium 6<sup>tum</sup>\* incipit ab his litteris quibus declaratus fuit Praeses Ex D. Gage. Ann. 1676 14 novbris vide litteras gratulatorias D. Praesidis ad Innoc 11 Electum Pont: maximum.

Ann. 1682. 2 Junii diem clausit supremum Exim D. Fr. Gage inter lacrymas suorum an. aetatis 62.

Eodem An. 28 Aug. litteris Emntissmi Protectoris Card<sup>is</sup> de Norfolcia Praeses creatus est Exim. D. 10<sup>us</sup> Praeses Ex: Jacobus Smith. Ann. 1685 5<sup>to</sup> idus 7<sup>bris</sup> R. D. Jo. Leyburnus ad instantiā serenissmi Regis Jacobi 2<sup>di</sup> constitutus est Epus Adrumetenus et in Angliam delegatus. vide adventum ejus ad hoc Collegium 21 8<sup>bris</sup> ejusdem anni. D. Jac: Smith an. 1682.

An 1688 circa finem februarii tres alii Epi ut Vicarii Apostlici in Angliam sunt deputati cum facultatibus privilegiis et juribus, quibus fruuntur ordinarii in suis Dioecesis viz. Ex D. Bonaventura Gifford hujus coll. alumnus et Theol. quondam Professor, D<sup>r</sup> Sorbonicus Epus Maudaurensis. R. Pater Philippus Ellis Benedictinus Epus Aureliopolitan<sup>s</sup> et Exim: D. Jacobus Smith Praeses Epus Callipolitanus.

Eodem an. die 20 Jun. stil nov. natus est Londini in palatio S. Jacobi serenissimus Walliae Princeps Jacobus 3<sup>tius</sup>, vide in hoc collegio solemn- itatem in ejus natalitiis.

Eodem an. die 22 Junii litteris Emntsmi Protectoris Cardlis de Norfolcia Ex. D. Edwardus Paston† sac Exi. D. Edw. Pas- Theol D<sup>r</sup> per multos annos Professor (venit ex Angliā ton 11<sup>us</sup> Coll. ad Collegium die 24 Julii) praeses constitutus a Pro- Praeses an. 1688. tectore.

Eodem an die 5 9bris (licet in Diario non exprimatur) Gulielmus Princeps Arausicanus Angliam cum exercitu ex Hollandiā invasit et Rex Catholicus Jacob<sup>s</sup> 2<sup>us</sup> a [p. 6] nobilibus penè omnibus derelictus cum

\* The Sixth Diary is lost. See Editors' Preface to *First and Second Douay Diaries*, p. v and C.R.S. x p. xiv.

† See *D.N.B.* xlv 2, Dodd iii 479, and *Register of St. Gregory's, Paris*, C.R.S. xiv.



familiâ sua fugere coactus est in Galliam, et ibidem post 13 an: exilii in operibus paenitentiae, pietatis et devotionis, in odore et opinione sanctitatis transactus vitam hanc miseram (uti plurima persuadent) cum immortalî commutavit.

Diarium 6<sup>um</sup> (omissis plurimis magni momenti) usq ad an. 1692 continuatum fuit, adjectis etiam nonnullis usq ad an. 1695, ab eo tempore nihil invenio notatum, praeter nomina illorum qui vixerunt in collegio, et in aliis chartis nomina admissorum, et missorum in Angliam. Rursum igitur intermissum est diarium rerum Collegii annis 22<sup>obis</sup>.

Ann 1714 die 21 Julii, cum eodem die missam celebrasset, paulo post prandium in hortum deambulaturus, subitissimâ apoplexiâ correptus, cecidit et in momento temporis expiravit inter Refectorii et horti januas, Ex D. Paston an. aetatis 74, cum an. 26 Praesidis officium tenuisset, qui zelum Dei et disciplinae domesticae semper habuit, omnibus singularis charitatis et pietatis exempla relinquens etc.

Post obitum ejus ortis et excitatis (ab iis ad quos minimè pertinebat) difficultatibus circa successorem tandem a duobus nostris in Angliâ Epis[copis] et a capitulo Anglicano unanimi consensu praesentatus et a sacrâ Congregatione de Propag. fide jussu suae Sanctitatis (cum Protect-  
 Erud. D. Robertus orem nullum haberemus) nominatus est, Eruditiss<sup>us</sup>  
 Witham 12<sup>ms</sup> Coll. D. Robertus Witham\* hujus Coll. alumnus, qui duos  
 Praeses an. 1715. cursus philosophicos et tres annos Theologiam docuerat  
 et per aliquot annos confessarii munus hic exercuerat. Oblatâ ipse ab  
 Emntsmo Protectore Cardinali de Norfolcia dispensatione ut ingre-  
 deretur ordinem Sti Dominici (cujus ordinis erat praedictus Cardinalis)  
 et ad quem ordinem, ut ex aliorum relatione audiverat, propensus  
 fuerat idem D. Rob. Witham, licet dispensationem ejusmodi non  
 postulasset, dubius tamen haesit circa vocationem, sed omnibus  
 circumstantiis et conscientiae suae statu expositis Rdsmo Dno.  
 Epo. Madaurensi de cujus prudentiâ mansuetudine, zelo et singulari  
 erga se amicitia, summam conceperat opinionem, ipsius consilio in  
 priori mansit vocatione, et per sedecim annos missioni Anglicanae  
 operam dedit. post obitum optimi Praesulis et Pastoris Rdsmi  
 Epi Callipolitani factus est Vicarius Generalis in partibus Angliae  
 septentrionalibus a Rdsmo Epo Madaurensi ad quem ex decreto Sacrae  
 Congregationis de Prop (utpote ad antiquiorem juxta ordinationem  
 Epum) devolvebatur jurisdictio et cura districtus septentrionalis. Cum  
 per 4 fere annos vicarii Gen. munus in absentia Epi obiisset 5<sup>to</sup> die  
 februarii litteris Sacrae Congregationis de propagandâ fide constitutus  
 est Praeses Collegii Anglo-Duaceni, penitus invitatus (Deum testor dum  
 haec scribo) idq. verbis gravissimis Epi nostris multoties testatus  
 fuisset.

\* The author of the diary. Fifth son of George Witham of Cliffe, Esq. and Grace dau. of Sir Marmaduke Wyvill of Burton Constable, Yorks by Isabel dau. and heiress of Sir William Gascoigne Kn<sup>t</sup> of Sedbury. For his account of his own career see text above and the translation. He was President from 5 Feb. 1715 (N.S.) till his death 18 May 1738, and during his term of office he rebuilt the College and its chapel

[p. 7]. DIARIUM IMPERFECTE CONTINUATUM AB ANNO 1689 AD AN.

1725. (VIDE DIARIUM EX D. PASTON.)

Cum a viginti et amplius annis nihil penè scriptum de rebus in Collegio gestis sive ad illud, sive ad missionem in Anglia spectantibus, reperiri possit, visum est hic adicere nonnulla gravioris momenti, de quibus certam et indubitam habemus notitiam.

Circa finem mensis <sup>8bris</sup> an 1689 (licet [n]o[n] sit scriptum in diario) gravis inobedientiae seu potius rebellionis contra Ex Dn Praesidem et superiores rei facti s[un]t omnes pene studiosi infra Theologiam.

His tumultibus occasionem dederat odium quod conceperat maxima studiosorum pars contra Praefectum Generalem D. Joseph Digbaeum,\* et zelus Praesidis in reformanda Collegii disciplina praecipue in iis quae ad Theologos et alumnos spectarent. [*In margin* N.B. cum variae literae chartae aliaq instrumenta et monumenta ablata sint clanculū e cubiculo Praesidis inter mortem Ex Dn. Paston et ejus accessum ad collegiū non potuit invenire Praeses quae necessaria erant ad conficiendū diarium. Libri etiam plurimi ex Praesidis cubiculo fuerant venditi.]

Sic autem (quantum memini) orta est haec seditio. Rumor de industria sparsus fuerat quasi intenderet praefectus Generalis virgis caedere unum de Schola Logicorum aut Rhaetorum: hinc jura et privilegia sua violanda esse statim inter se conquerebantur, ut rebellionem pararent, intra diem unū et alterum venerunt ad Praesidem Phi[losophi] et ab eo diem recreationis petebant. Cum hoc nolisset concedere Praeses, mussitare coeperunt omnes, et se scholas adire nolle illo die responderunt. Praeses mirabundus causam ab ipsis quaerebat quibus illi, causam aut causas inq[uiun]t novit Reverentia vestra ex charta tradita in conclavi seniorum hesternae nocte. Ille vero qui nihil de hujusmodi charta audiverat jussit ut scholas adirent et ostium suum clausit.

Porro nocte praecedenti injecta fuerat ab aliquibus e studiosis chartula querelarum in conclavi ubi ad ignem sedere solebant Praeses et seniores, et haec quidem chartula loco sigilli signata fuit figura gladii, nullius tamen nomine apposito. Incidit forte haec chartula in manus Vicepraesidis D. Nichol. Leyburn,† qui cum eam inspexisset et judicaret e[ss]e factum puerile, quod tamen displicere poterat Praesidi, chartulam in oculis posuit, nihil de ea re locutus cum Praeside aut senioribus.

Cum a[utem] a cubiculo Praesidis descendissent statim campana pulsata in hortum se receperunt qui virgas non timuerunt, ludere incoeperunt, insultare Praefecto Generali nec ad classē se recipere volebant, Missi sunt ad ipsos Vicepraeses, Confessarii Exim D. Georg Witham,‡

\* b. 1663-d. 1708. Fourth son of James Digby of North Luffenham, Rutlandshire Esquire, and Elizabeth dau. of James Ravenscroft of Middlesex, Esq. Afterwards confessor to the Poor Clares at Dunkirk 1693-1705. See Dodd iii 481; Burke *Commoners* iv, 465.

† Sixth son of John Leyburne of Cuswick, Esq. by his second wife Mary, dau. and heiress of William Croft of Cloughton, Lancs. Vice-president and Procurator of Douay 1677-1701. This diary definitely fixes the date of his death as June 1701 instead of 1703 as sometimes stated. See Gillow *Dict.* iv 238.

‡ Second son of George Witham of Cliffe and Grace dau. of Sir Marmaduke Wyvill, Bart. of Burton Constable, and so brother of Robert Witham. He was V. A. Midland Dist. 1702-1715, V.A. Northern Dist. 1715-1725. Died 27 April 1725 aged 70.



nunc Epus Marcopolitanus, et D. Jões Johnson,\* alique e senioribus et sacerdotibus, nec quicquā profecerunt. Ad omniū monita surdi et obstinati perstiterunt.

Ad prandium more solito in refectorium veniebant at nec horis pomeridianis Scholas adire voluerunt. Cum magnis clamoribus post coenam in ambulachris cursitabant et facto agmine ad seniorum conclave perrexerunt. Exim D. Praeses de consilio aliquorum seniorum clam se subtrahebat prope altare B Virginis pro ipsis oraturus. Nocte illa ad cubicula et lectos se recipere nolebant sed fascibus et ligno vi comparatis ad ignes vigilabant. Summa ipsis cura erat ne ab invicem quovis artificio separarentur [p. 8] postridie vero multorum persuasionibus adducti exim D. Praesidi semet submiserunt et scholas repetiverunt.

At post quindecim circiter dies iterum rebellionem semet praepararunt, admonitus vero Praeses, ut ipsorum praeveniret machinationes quatuor aut 5 ex antesignanis ad cubiculum suum vocavit ut illorum exploraret consilium, et obtentis a Gubernatore militibus, cum a cubiculo praesidis descenderent a militibus excepti sunt qui cum Vicepraeside illos 5 ex urbe expulerunt.† Manserunt autem alii milites in collegio ab hora 10<sup>ma</sup> usq. ad horam 3<sup>tiam</sup> ejusdem diei.

Parisios profecti sunt quinque illi expulsi, sed post tempus duo aut tres ad Collegium sunt reversi. Non pauci etiam alii paulo post ab amicis obtinuerunt ut a collegio discederent.

Eodem anno 1689 novae nostri Collegii Constitutiones summa Praesidis, Vicep. Exim D. George Witham et Thom. Grange‡ prudentia et consiliis, in optimum ordinem redactae confirmatae fuerunt autoritate Apostolica per Eminentissimū Angliae Protectorem Cardlem de Norfolcia die 15 Octobris 1689 et mense sequenti 9<sup>bris</sup> lectae et receptae sunt ab omnibus in Collegio. Has constitutiones antequam Romam mitterentur sub maximi secreti sigillo exscripserat R. Witham tunc Theologus primi anni et nondum alumnus absque aliorum omnium notitia.

Displicuit non mediocriter Theologis quod magis subjecti essent Praefecto Generali (ipsis tunc temporis satis odioso) quam fuerant a pluribus annis, quippe cum illorum cubicula visitaret neque absque illius venia exire jam poterant. Quod si quis velit Antiqua Collegii hemerologia inspicere inveniet Theologos semper (et haud scio annon idem de sacerdotibus dicendum sit) praefecto Generali non minus subditos fuisse.

Circa hoc tempus Exim. D. Praeses considerans non omnes qui Theologi dicebantur, aptos esse Theologiae Scolasticae addiscendae

\* A Yorkshireman who had been Prefect General at Douay. Subsequently chaplain to the Giffords at Chillington. Founder of the "Johnson Fund" still existing. Died 16 June 1739.

† One of the five was Richard Hitchmough afterwards notorious as apostate and informer.

‡ His real name was Yaxley and he belonged to the Suffolk family of Yaxley or Yoxler's Hall. He had taught both philosophy and theology at Douay. In 1693 he went to London, settled in St. Andrew's parish, Holborn, became Vicar-General to Bishop Giffard and a member of the Chapter. He died March 1722 (N.S.).



vel illis disputandi et defendendi exercitiis in Scholis nostris usurpatis, aliam Scholam instituit in qua casibus tantum consciae et Theologiae morali operam darent aliqui non quidem scribendo sed legendo libros Theologiae morales ab ipso designatos: et hujus scholae ipsemet Exim. D. Paston Collegii Praeses magister per plures annos et per annum unum Exim. D. Edoardus Hawarden. Quae schola ut opinor continuata fuit pene usque ad mortem Exim. Dni Paston licet minus honorifice de illa loqui solerent nonnulli, a quibus *sutores* nominari consueverunt. Hi nunquam frequentarunt Scholam Theologorum sed in conclavi infra Praesidis cubiculum una hora ante, et altera post meridiem.

His et aliis omissis continuatum est quomodocunque diarium Exim. Dni Paston usque ad finem anni 1691.

Diminui tamen quotannis coepit numerus convictorum et alumnorum forte occasione quarundam mutationum quae satis frequenter contigerunt in observatione disciplinae Collegii. Non paucis displicuit quod Exim. D. Praeses alumnos separavit a Convictoribus et in mensis, in refectoris et in cubiculo sive in diversis collegii partibus.

Anno 1692.\*

[p. 9]. Hujus Anni nullum omnino extat Diarium. Hoc anno et duobus praecedentibus nec non et pluribus sequentibus juramentum quiete et pacifice vivendi jubente eximio Dno Praeside praestiterunt non solum alumni sed et convictores juxta formam in novis constitutionibus praescriptam, quod displicuit etiam non paucis in Anglia.

A festo S. Remigii anni praecedentis† Theolog professores fuerunt Exim et Saptasmus Dn<sup>s</sup> Georgius Witham et R. D. Thom. Grange; Confessarius Dn<sup>s</sup> Joan. Johnson; Praefectus Generalis R. D. Josephus Digbaeus; philosophiae professores R. D. Joan. Martin vere Brianus Orrel,‡ et dnus Eduardus Hawarden,§ Rhætor: professor Mag. Thom. Day.,|| Poeseos, R. D. Thomas Roydon,¶ Syntaxeos, Griffithius Win,\*\*

\* This date is written 1692 though some of the entries relate to 1691 as is indicated in the margin.

† i.e. 1 October 1690, as is shown by comparison with the following lists for the Remigialia i.e. the opening of the schools on the feast of St. Remigius, Oct. 1. The scholastic year dated from this festival. Thus the staff for 1691 the "preceding year" would take office in 1690.

‡ Born in 1666 of the family of Orrell of Blackbrook House, Parr, Lancs. (Gillow, *Dict.* v 220) He left Douay in 1692 and was chaplain at Blackbrook till his death, 14 Nov. 1739.

§ The famous theologian and controversialist, b. 1662 d. 1735. See D.N.B. xxv 185 and Gillow, *Dict.* iii 167-812.

|| Alias Brown. Born 1665 in St. Asaph's diocese; on leaving Douay where he was opposed to Dr. Paston's reforms, he served as a priest in London, became Treasurer to the Chapter in 1712 and was Dean of the Chapter 1732 till his death 8 July 1748.

¶ There is danger of confusion between the various priests named Thomas Roydon or Thomas Cornforth, living in the 18th century:—I. Thomas Cornforth, born about 1652, ordained about 1676-7, said to have been educated at Douay, but his name is not in the list of those taking the oath of the alumni, which list in the absence of the College Diary for this period is our only source of information. In 1693 he was chaplain to the Scroops of Danby, was then 40 years old and had been 16 or 17 years on the mission. (C.R.S. ix 111) Bishop Witham refers to Danby as "the residence of my cousin Cornforth." II. Thomas Roydon mentioned in the text, born in York

Grammaticae, M. Antonius Jackson,\* Rudimentorum M. Hugo Tootle.†

Juramentum alumnorum suscepit Benjamin Petre‡ dioecesis Londinensis die 20 Aprilis an 1692.

Die 30 Aprilis in missionem profectus est R. D. Missus in Angliam Gualterus Purcell§ literas humaniores per aliquot an. 1691. annos docuerat.

Die 22 Maii in missionem profectus est D. Thomas Smith,|| alias Griffith. In missione profectus an. 1691.

Die 26 Junii in missionem Anglicanam profecti sunt R. D. Henricus Kennet¶ Dunelmensis et R. D. Missi in Angliam Gulielmus Hildreth\*\* dioecesis Eboracensis, expleto an. 1691. pene 4to theologiae anno.

Die 17 Sepbris an 1692. juramentum alumnorum praestitit Joannes Massy†† dioecesis Salisburiensis. fuit hic ipse Regis Jacobi 2 Decanus Ecclesiae Xti Oxoniensis et ad fidem Catholicam fuerat conversus. Post susceptum in hoc collegio sacerdotium profectus est Parisiis et Confessarius fuit monialium Immaculae conceptionis et ibidem mortuus.

In festis Remigialibus an 1692‡‡ Profess Theolog. Exim D. Georgius Witham et D. Thomas Grange; Confessarius Exim d. Thom. Witham;§§

diocese, took oath at Douay 1681, went to England a priest in Oct. 1692, elected a capitular 1715, missionary at Dodding Green, Kendal, Westmoreland, where he died 30 Oct. 1741. Kirk calls him "alias Cornforth," but this is probably a confusion with No. III, as no other source records this alias. III. Thomas Cornforth alias Roydon, born in Lichfield diocese 1679, took oath at Douay 1700, came to England a priest in 1709, elected a capitular 1739, missionary at Stour Provost, Dorset, and died at Shaftesbury 5 Aug. 1748. IV. Thomas Roydon, nephew of No. II, born 1 Feb. 1705 took oath at Douay 1725, ordained 1730, professor of philosophy and theology, left Douay in 1744, elected a capitular 1753 and died at his uncle's former mission, Dodding Green 16 Oct. 1764.

\*\* Griffith Charles Wynne, born in Bangor diocese, went to England a priest in June 1694, was elected a capitular in 1712 and died the following year.

\* Born 1665; died 1741. Went to England 1701, lived at Old Elvet, Durham and became Vicar-General of the Northern District.

† Hugh Tootell alias Charles Dodd (b. 1672, d. 1743) the ecclesiastical historian. See D.N.B. xv 147, Gillow, *Dict.* v 549 and *St. Gregory's Register*, C.R.S. xiv 112, 114.

‡ Born 1672; died 1758, younger son of John Petre of Fithlers, Essex, by his second wife Elizabeth, dau. of John Pincheon of Writtle, Esq. Afterwards Bishop and V.A. Lond. Dist. (1734-1758). See Brady *Annals of English Hierarchy* 161-163, D.N.B. xiv 90 and Gillow *Dict.* v 288.

§ Walter Chetwynd Purcell born at Albrighton, Shropshire, missionary there, died at Oscott 1720.

|| Thomas Smith als. Griffith, born in diocese of Chester, had been one of the Douay students sent to Magdalen College, Oxford, in the reign of James II. Missioner at Bunbury, Cheshire.

¶ Chaplain to the Cholmeley family at Brandsby Yorkshire for fifty years and died 1743.

\*\* William Hildreth, als. Addison, born in Yorkshire. Left Douay a priest in 1691 or 1692, taught a sma'l school at Thorp near Cliffe, became chaplain to the Meynells first at Dalton Hall, then at Aldborough where he died 1736.

†† See C.R.S. viii 388.

‡‡ Comparison with the two next lists "in Remigialibus" shows that this is the staff appointed on 1 Oct. 1691 for the year Oct. 1691—Oct. 1692.

§§ Thomas Witham was a cousin (not brother as sometimes stated) of George and Robert. (Letter of Bishop George Witham West' Archives, *Epistola Variorum*, Vol. i) but his parentage has not yet been ascertained. See C.R.S. xiv 106.



Philosophiae professores D. Joan. Martin et D. Philippus Petre;\* Praefectus Gen. D. Josephus Digby; Rhaetorcae professor D. Thom. Roydon; Poeseos D. Thom. Day; Syntaxeos D. Anton. Jackson; Gram. magstr Gulielmus Crathron;† Rudimentorum. Mag Edoardus Petre.‡

Anno 1692.

[p. 10]. Theologiam universam sub Exim. D. Georgio Witham dedicatam quatuor Episcopis Vicariis Apostolicis in Anglia propugnabit D. Robertus Witham.

In missionem Anglicanam mense Julii missus est Exim et Sapientissimus D. Georgius Witham Doctor Sorbonicus postquā hic Theologiam docuerat per 4 annos et ante annos aliquot unum Philosophiae cursum. Die 14 Julii in missionem profectus est R. D. Joannes Johnson qui confessarii et prius praefecti gen[er]alis munere functus fuisset.

Die 16 Julii discessit hinc R. D. Laurentius Briers.§

Die 9<sup>mo</sup> Octobris ad Anglicanam missionem profecti sunt R. D. Joan. Martin qui unum Philosophiae cursum docuerat et R. D. Thom. Roydon qui hic per annos 4 aut quinque literas humaniores cum laude docuerat.

Juramentum alumnorum die 14<sup>to</sup> decembris an. 1692. praestiterunt Nicolaus Leyburn|| Cestriensis, et Jacobus Midford¶ dioecesis Dunelmensis.

Die. 30 10<sup>bris</sup> an 1692 Idem juramentum alumnorum praestitit Henricus Somerset\*\* Herefordiensis.

In Angliam missus Exim. D. Georg. Witham.

Anno, 1692, 1693.

In festis Remigialibus et pro anno sequenti Praeses Exim. D. Paston; Vicep. R. D. Nicolaus Leyburn; Confessarius Exim D. Thom. Witham;

\* Born in London diocese 1665, so he may have been one of the Essex family, but can not be traced. He went to England a priest in 1695 but no details of his subsequent career have yet been found.

† William Crathorne *alias* Augustine Shepherd and Yaxley, was the second son of Ralph Crathorne and Anne daughter of William Tunstall of Scargill and Wycliffe Yorkshire. Born in 1670. After ordination he was prefect of Studies at Douay till 1707. Subsequently he became chaplain at Hammersmith Convent, where he died 21 March 1740.

‡ After showing signs of mental disturbance he was sent away from the College as unfit for ordination.

§ Lawrence Breres, also written Breers and Briars. The latter spelling accounts for his name being Latinized by a play on words as "Spinosus," in reference to his capacious and uneasy disposition which gave much trouble to the College authorities. He was son of Robert Breres of the family of Breres of Walton Hall, Walton-on-the-Hill, Lanes. and Mary dau. of John Molyneux of New Hall. He died in London, where he had served as a priest, on 13 Nov. 1744.

|| Nicholas Leyburn, junior, nephew to his namesake the Vice-president, third son of George Leyburne of Nateby Hall and Elizabeth, dau. of George Preston of Holker, Esq. Born 1674, after ordination served missions at Nateby, Norbury and Roston. Died 20 May 1739.

¶ Of the Northumberland family of Midford or Mitford. Missioner for many years at Thropton, Northumberland where he died 12 March, 1750.

\*\* Born in Hereford diocese 20 March, 1670 o.s. possibly a descendant of Lord Thomas Somerset, second son of Henry first Marquess of Worcester.



Theol. professores. D. Thom. Grange et D. Edoardus Hawarden; Praefectus Generalis usq. ad 1 Jun. D. Josephus Digby; Philosophiae Professores D. Phil. Petre. D. Rob. Witham; Literarū Humaniorum professores, M. Thom. Day, M. Anton: Jackson, M. Gulielmus Crathron, M. Thom. Sedden alias Jameson,\* Mag. Petrus Bodwell† sed de his rebus posterioribus non adeo constat.

Hoc anno non erant in Collegio nisi personae 81 exceptis famulis.

In missionem profectus est R. D. Thom. Harnage hic Lacon‡ et, ni fallor, D. Gulielmus Bilingley. §

Discessit hinc Edoardus Petre infirmus animo et corpore.

Diem hic clausit supremum, Theologus pius admodum Georgius Nendick vere Ascough.

Die Maii. An 1693 Dunkirkham profectus est R. D. Josephus Digby ut esset confessarius monialium St<sup>ae</sup> Clarae.

Anno. 1693.

p. 11]. Vide pauca in diario a 27<sup>mo</sup> Maii usq. ad 15 Junii.

Die 1 Junii in Angliam missus est R. D. Gulielmus Maire vere Hawarden|| diocesis Cestriensis comitatus Lancastriensis expletis 4 Theologiae annis.

Mense Maio ad collegiū venit ex Anglicana missione R. D. Antonius Metham hic Bion,¶ missus a Rdssmis Episcopis nostris ut hic susciperet munus Praefecti Generalis loco Dni Digby quod et statim aggressus est

Parisios hoc anno profectus est ad seminarium Anglorum Magister Hugo Tootle.

Die 13 Septembris iuramentum alumnorum praestiterunt Thomas Clayton\*\* diocesis Lichfieldensis et Thom. Berrington†† Diocesis Herefordiensis.

In Angliam hoc anno missus est R. D. Thom. Grange hic Yaxley qui primo literas humaniores cum summa laude deinde per 6 aut 8 annos

\* Vere Jameson, son of Thomas Jameson of Ashton-in-Makerfield, Lanes., and Alice, dau. of Ralph Sedden of Aspull; born 1667 and after ordination was chaplain at Birchley Hall, Lanes., till his death about 1718. His brother Richard was also a priest.

† Peter Bodwell's real name was Wynne and he was a relative of the Rev. Peter Wynne *als.* Bodwell, son of Griffith Wynne and Dorothy Parry, his wife, of Carnarvonshire, who about this time was missionary at Holywell.

‡ Second son of Edward Harnage of Bellwardine, Esq. and Mary Minn of Somerton, Oxford. Missioner in Middlesex till his death in 1719 or 1720.

§ His real name was Bedford, and he was a native of Hereford diocese. Though he is here said, with some reservation, to have left Douay (or England 1692-3, in a later passage the date of his departure is correctly given as 19 Oct. 1695.

|| William Hawarden *als.* Maire or Mere (b. 1666; d. 1727) was son of John Hawarden of Fenilstreet, Appleton, and Margaret, daughter and coheir of William Mere of Mere, Cheshire, Esq. He was thus first cousin to Dr. Edward Hawarden. Died 30 Oct. 1727 at Widnes, which place he had served for many years.

¶ Anthony Metham *alias* Bion. See Gillow, B.D.E.C. iv 570 and Kirk, *Biog. Eng. Cath.* p. 162.

\*\* Thomas Clayton *als.* Lee (b. 1672; d. 1746), afterwards missionary in Norfolk and Suffolk.

†† Thomas Berrington, son of Thomas Berrington, Esq. of Moat Hall, Shropshire, and Anne dau. of John Berrington, Esq. of Winsley, Hereford (b. 1673; d. 1755) afterwards Dean of the Chapter (1748-1755). See Gillow B.D.E.C. i 199; Kirk, *Biog. Eng. Cath.* p. 21.

Philosophiam mox functus est officio praefecti generalis per aliquot annos denique theologiam per annos 5.

*In Festis Remigialibus an 1693 et pro 1694.*

Seniores Exim. D. Paston Praeses; D. Nic. Leyburn Vicepraeses; Confess. Exim. D. Thom. Witham; R<sup>d</sup> Edoardus Hawarden Theol. prof; D. Anton Metham (Bion) praefectus Generalis; R.D. Rob. Witham et D. Radulphus Crathorn\* Baccalaureus Parisiensis Philosophiae professores; M. Anton. Jackson Rhaetoricae prof; Guliel. Crathorn Poeseos; Franc. Molins† Syntaxeos; Benjamin Petre hic White Gramaticae.

1694.

[p. 12]. Die 6to Junii Juramentum alumnorum praestiterunt Laurentius Mayes‡ dioecesis Eboracensis. Richardus Palin§ dioecesis Lichfieldensis et Joan Farmer dioecesis Lichfieldiensis.

In Angliam circa idem tempus missus est Griffithus Carolus Wynne. Parisios ad Semin. Anglorum profectus est M. Jacobus Rigby hic Barker|| absoluta hic Philosophia magno cum applausu.

Hoc anno reversus ex Anglia Edoardus Petre tanquam ordinibus inidoneus rursum dimittitur phantasiis ut dicitur quibusdam turbatus.

Circa finem hujus anni longa febris languescens mortuus est R. D. Antonius Metham hic Bion, qui per annos complures in missione maximo cum fructu laborasset et hic per annum et dimidium praefecti Generalis munus obiisset. Ejus locum viz. praefecti Generalis per aliquot menses hoc anno supplevit D. Rob. Witham Philosophiae professor.

Ante finem anni rediit huc Parisiis R. D. Gulielmus Keightley¶ qui ob defectum memoriae in seminario Doctorum progredi non poterat. Hic musaei praefectus\*\* constitutus est.

*In Festis Remigialibus an 1694 et pro anno 1695.*

Seniores. Exim. D. Paston Praeses; D. Nic. Leyb. vicep; D. Edoardus Hawarden Theol. professor; D. Laur. Breers praefectus; D. Rob. Witham et D. Radulphus Crathorn Philosophiae professores; Gulielm. Crathorn Rhaetoricae; M. Anton. Jackson Poeseos; D. Joan Knes-

\* Son of Ralph Crathorne and Anne dau. of William Tunstall of Scargill and Wycliffe, Yorks. born 1667; died at St. Gregory's, Paris, 11 Oct, 1698 (See C.R.S. xix 109n). In the Crathorne Pedigree (Chronicles of St. Monica's Louvain Vol. ii) the date of his death is confused with that of his nephew, Rev. Ralph Crathorne.

† Born 1670, worked as a priest in London where he died 20 May, 1742. He was a member of the Chapter 1736-1742.

‡ Afterwards Clergy Agent in Rome (b. 1673 d. 1749) See Gillow Bib. Dict. Eng. Cath. iv 545-549.

§ Of the family of Palin of Diconsdale near Albrighton, Staffs. Afterwards priest in Staffordshire; where he opened a school at Rowneywood for Catholic children. Died 1750 (Kirk, 175).

|| Son of Alexander Rigby and Margaret Jameson his wife, b. circa 1657, d. 1731. Afterwards Doctor of Divinity and member of the Chapter. See C.R.S. xix 112n.; Gillow, Dict. v 419.

¶ Born in London 1667 died at Douay 1696 being College confessor. See C.R.S. xix 112n.

\*\* The Praefectus Musaei was the master of the study-place, whose duty it was to keep order while the boys were preparing their work for class.



borough\* Syntaxeos; D. Fran. Molins Grammaticae; D. Gulielm<sup>s</sup> Keightley Rudimentorum.

Personae omnino 93 cum septem. famulis.

Anno, 1695.

[p. 13]. Die 5 Aprilis iuramentum alumnorum praestiterunt Rob. Bowes† dioecesis Cicestriensis et Benjamin Carolus Lee‡ dioecesis Londinensis.

Die 24 Aprilis ex Galliis in Angliam missus est R. D. Philippus Petre qui hic Philosophiae cursum summo cum applausu docuerat.

Die 26 7<sup>bris</sup> in Angliam missus est D. Jacobus Charnley hic Heighton§ dioecesis Cestriensis ex comitatu Lancastriensi, absoluto tertio theologiae anno, mala usus valetudine.

Die 19 Octobris in Angliam missus est D. Gulielmus Bedford hic Billingsley dioecesis Herefordiensis, expletis tribus Theologiae annis.

Vide diarium sub Exim. Dno Paston a die 11, 9 bris an 1695 usq. ad diem 2dū Augusti 1696 ubi penitus desinit ipsius diarium.

*In Festis Remigialibus an 1695 et pro an 1696.*

Seniores Exim. D. Paston Praeses; D. Nic. Leyburn Vicepraeses; D. Ed. Hawarden Theol. Professor; D. Rob. Witham et D Radulphus Crathorn Philosophiae professores; D. Keighley Confessarius; Praefectus Generalis D. Hillis.|| Professores Rhaetoricae D. Jackson; Poeseos D. Gul Crathron; Syntaxeos D. Molins; Gram. D. Laur. Rigby;¶ Rudimentorum D. Georg. Leyburn.\*\*

Personae omnino 81. exceptis famulis.

Anno, 1696.

[p. 14]. Die primo Januarii iuramentum praestitit Lancelottus Thompson hic Thimbleby.††

\* Vere Knaresborough, b. 1672 at Ferensby, Farnham, near Knaresborough, Yorks, where his family had possessed considerable property for a long period; d. 1724 at York where he had laboured as a priest. See Gillow *Dict.* iv 60 and Kirk, *Blog.* p. 146.

† Born near Arundel 1673, probably son of Stephen Bowes and Mary his wife; chaplain to Sir John Webb at Hathrop, Glos. for many years. Died at Bath 15 Dec. 1735. See Gillow, *Dict.* i 281.

‡ After some years became a Carthusian.

§ Born in Lancashire 1668 and worked as a priest there (Kirk, *Blog.* p. 261).

|| It is thought he was a son of Henry Hills, printer to Cromwell, Charles II and James II. Born in London 1671; died at Winchester (15 Jan. 1746) where he had long laboured as a priest.

¶ Younger son of Alexander Rigby and his wife Margaret Jameson. Brother of Rev. Dr. James Rigby (vide sup). Afterwards D.D. and Vicar General in the Northern District. Born 10 Aug. 1675 in Lancashire; died at Wycliffe, Yorks, 1731; See C.R.S. xix 114. A note in C.R.S. vi p. 220 erroneously speaks of "James Barker alias Lawrence Rigby." Both brothers used the *alias* Rigby. A note in the same volume p. 109 gives the brothers correctly.

\*\* Second son of George Leyburne of Nateby Hall, Garstang, and Elizabeth Preston—and brother of Revv. Nicholas and James Leyburne. Born 25 May 1673; died 24 Jan. 1737 (C.R.S. xii 4, correcting Kirk). He was missionary at Nateby Hall and afterwards Painsley.

†† Born 16 June 1677 in co. Durham; took his degree B.D. at Paris, worked as a priest in England from 1706 or 1707 and died 14 May 1729. (See C.R.S. xix 115).



Die 24 Aprilis juramentum alumnorū praestiterunt Stephanus Bowes\* dioecesis Cicestriensis, Augustinus Jenison† dioecesis Dunelmensis, Antonius Tod hic Meynil dioecesis Dunelmensis.

Die 20 Maii juramentū praestitit Joan Talbot Stonor‡ dioecesis Oxoniensis.

Die 8 7<sup>bris</sup> Juramentū praestiterunt Thomas Smith§ et Carolus Hawarden ||, uterque dioecesis Cestriensis et ex agro Lancastriensi.

Hoc anno inchoata fuit sub. D. Rob. Witham consuetudo ponendi in Thesis Philosophiae universalis aliquas positiones graece quas scholares tam graece quam latine propugnarunt hoc primi praestiterunt Augustinus Jenison et Joan. Talbot Stonor, qui et hoc anno missus est Parisios ad seminarium Doctorum Anglorum.

Die 22 Julii mortuus est R. D. Keightley Colleg. Confessarius.

Dramma exhibuerunt Rhaetores inscriptum *felix virtutis exitus* sive *Demetrius*. dramatum autem, usum sicut et musicae paulo post penitus sustulit Exim. D. Praeses, quod tamen haud placuit nostris in Anglia amicis.

*In Festis Remigialibus an 1696 et pro anno 1697.*

Seniores Ex D. Paston Praeses; D. Nic Leyb. vicepraeses; D. Edoardus Hawarden et D. Rob. Witham Theol. professores; D. Radulp. Crathorn et D. Laurent. Mayes Philosophiae professores; D. Rob. Hills praefectus generalis; Professores Rhetoricae M. Ant. Jackson; Syntaxeos Gul. Crathorn et simul Poeseos, has enim classes eodem anno absoluerunt Grammaticae Laur. Rigby; Rudimentorum ni fallar Illustm<sup>s</sup> Joan. Savage hic Rivers. ¶

*Anno, 1697.*

Ann 1697 Juramentū alumnorū praestitit die 28 martii Thomas Plumerden\*\* dioecesis Londinensis.

Item die 12 Maii Georg. Lane †† dioecesis Lichfieldensis.

\* Probably son of Stephen Bowes and Mary Stokes, whose son Stanislaus was ordained priest in Rome. After ordination he was chaplain first to the Fowler family, and then to Lady Sussex, daughter of Charles II by Lady Castlemaine. He died 1712.

† Youngest son of John Jenison of Walworth, Esq. and his second wife Elizabeth dau. of Thomas Pierson of Newcastle-on-Tyne.

‡ Afterwards Bishop of Thespiæ and V.A. Midland Dist. (1716-1756) born 1715, died 1756. See C.R.S. xlx 113n.

§ Born 30 July, 1674 in Chester diocese. Missioner at Oulston, near Easingwold Yorkshire where he died 2 Nov. 1755.

|| Born 1677, probably a son of Edward Hawarden of Heyton-cum-Roby, gent. (Gillow, *Dict.* iii 168).

¶ Fifth and last earl Rivers. Born 29 April, 1665, son of Hon. Richard Savage and Alice dau. and heir of Thomas Trafford of Bridge Trafford; missioner at York; succeeded to the peerage 19 Aug., 1712, as Earl Rivers, Viscount Colchester and Savage of Rock-Savage, Baron Darcy of Chiche and Baronet. Elected a capitular 1723. Died 26 Feb. 1737. See Doyle, *Baronage of England* iii 148, Gillow, *Dict.* v 480. Kirk, *Blog.* 205.

\*\* Born in London, 1674. See C.R.S. xiv 114. To the information there given add that he was ordained priest and left Douay for England in 1706.

†† Born in Nottinghamshire 22 Aug. 1669 (o.s.); ordained priest, went to England in 1702 and died shortly afterwards.

Item die 15 Sept<sup>bris</sup> Nobilissimus Joan Savage dioecesis Cestriensis.

Die 22 Aprilis in Anglicanā vineam missi sunt Henricus Somerset Herefordiensis et Thom. Jameson hic Seddan dioecesis Cestriensis.

Die 14 Maii missus est R. D. Benjamin Petre dioecesis Londinensis.

Et die 6 Junii D. Fran. Molins Londinus. Parisios missi sunt D. Radulph Crathorn S. Th. Baccalaurei. [sic] et Mg: Laur. Rigby et M. Thom. Plumerden.

Rediit Parisiis re infecta i.e. gradibus Theologicis non susceptis M. Hugo Tootle. E seminario etiam Parisiensi dimissus est D. Jacobus Rigby alias Barker sed Parisiis remansit.

Mense 7bri in Angliam Parisiis missus est R. D. Thom. Brown hic Day qui literas humaniores summo cum applausu docuerat.

*In Festis Remigialibus An 1697 et pro an 1698.*

Seniores. Exim D. Paston Praeses; D. Nic Leyburn Vicep; D. Ed Hawarden et D. Rob. Witham Theol. professores; D. Sim. Rider\* et D. Lau. Mayes Philosophiae professores; D. Hills praefectus; Professores Rhetoricae et Poeseos Gulielmus Crathorn; Syntax M. Antonius Tod hic Meynil; Gram. Thom. Hawarden;† Rudimentorū D. Brianus Tunstall.‡

Invenio studiosos infra Philosophiam 34. Nomina philosophorum non reperiuntur sed theologi numerantur 22.

*Anno 1698.*

Die 28 Martii juramentū Alumnorū praestitit [*Augustinus erased*] Newdigate Poyntz§ dioecesis Londinensis.

Mense Aprili missi sunt in Vineam Anglicanam R. D. Ricardus Palin Lichfieldensis, et R. D. Edoard Blay Londinensis, hic posterior paucis post annis Apostata fuit, tantam tamen de illo aestimationem conceperat Exim. D. Praeses ut ejus characterem his verbis exprimat in Epistola ad Sacr. Congregationē, "optimo ingenio et probis moribus praeditus, "non dubito quin in vinea Dni fructus non modicos facturum sit propter "facilitatem concionandi et disputandi de rebus controversis quibus "pollere compertum est." Interim nec Philosophiam nec Theologiam (nisi forte de moralibus aliquid) addiscere potuit. In examine ad sacerdotiū anno praecedenti repulsam sustinuit ab Exim. D. Praeside D.

\* Born in Staffordshire of good family having an estate at West Bromwich. After teaching philosophy and theology at Douay he took his doctorate at Paris in 1704, returned to England, was elected Capitular 1705, Dean of the Chapter 1714. Died in London 31 May, 1732.

† Thomas Hawarden. No one of this name to be traced at Douay at this date, beyond this single entry. Should the name be Thomas Harding?

‡ Peter Bryan Tunstall *als.* Scargill fourth son of Francis Tunstall of Ovington Yorks, Esq. and Anne, dau. of Sir Thomas Riddell of Fenham and Feltham Park Northumberland. Having been a superior at Douay for many years he became missionary at York, was Vicar-General of Yorkshire under Bishop Dicconson, became a Capitular in 1737 and died at York 3 June, 1742.

§ Augustine Newdigate Poyntz who in later years was the cause of serious trouble in the college and a chief agent in fostering the charges of Jansenism against the superiors and professors, particularly Dr. Hawarden, was born in London 29 March, 1680, being the son of Thomas Poyntz and Sarah Lane. After his ordination in 1706 he became confessor to the Augustinian nuns at Bruges (1707-1723). He died at Ghent 12 Aug. 1723. See Kirk, *Biog.* 191 and Gillow (*s.v.* Hawarden Dict. iii 176).



Hawarden et Witham Theol. professorib<sup>s</sup>. Missus est etiam in Angliam ni fallar, absq examine in regulis praescripto.

Mense Maio in Angliam missi sunt R. D. Hugo Tootle et R. D. Robertus Bowes Cicestriensis.

Mense 7bri Parisios ad Seminarium Anglorum missus est Lancelottus Thompson hic Thimbleby.

Hoc anno, circa mensem maii ut refert Exim. D. Paston in Epistola ad sacr Congreg. de propag. in Angliam Parisiis profectus est nobilis mag. Joan. Talbot Stonor militiae quidem clericali assumptus sed ad aliud vitae genus se conferens.

*In Festo S<sup>i</sup> Remigii an 1698 et pro an 1699.*

Seniores. Ex D. Paston Praeses; D. Nic. Leyburn vicepraeses; D. Ed. Hawarden et D. Rob. Witham Theol Professores; D. Rob. Hills praefectus generalis; D. Sim. Rider et D. Lau. Mayes Philosophiae professores; Poeseos (et ni fallor etiam Rhaeticae D. Antonius Tod hic Meynil; Syntaxeos M. Thom. Harding; Gramaticae Carol<sup>s</sup> Hawarden; Rudimentorum vel D. Breers vel Hills vel D. Jo. Savage.

Numerus convictorum et Alumnorum omittitur.

*Anno, 1699.*

[p. 16]. Die 8 Martii iuramentum alumnorum praestiterunt Edoardus Dicconson\* Dioecesis Cestriensis et comitatus Lancastriensis et Marmadukus Crathorn Eboracensis paulo post maligna febre (quo plurimi in Collegio laborabant) cum singularis pietatis et praedestinationis signis obiit in Dno.

Die 12 Februarii in Angliam missus D. Joan Knaresborough dioecesis Eboracensis. Literas humaniores docuit praestanti ingenio praeditus.

Die 9 Martii missi sunt R. D. Rob. Hills Londinensis per aliquot tempus praefectus Generalis, D. Georg. Leyburn et R. et Erud. D. Rob. Witham statim post assumptum Licentiae gradum in Theologia. hic L[ogi]cam, Philosophiae cursum et per tres annos Theologiam docuerat, et confessari<sup>s</sup>.

Et die 16 Julii R. D. Thomas Clayton dioeces. Lichfieldiensis vix recuperata valetudine post diuturnam febrem.

Hoc anno mortui sunt Carolus Crathorn† Marmad. Crathorn, . . . Blackburne et Radulphus Gerard.

Parisiis ad Collegium reversus est Mag. Jacobus Barker.

Hoc anno Gradum Licentiatus cum D. Rob. Witham suscepit. D. Ed. Hawarden et post ejus in Angliam discessum Lauream Doctoralem in hac Academia maximo omnium applausu.

*In Festo S<sup>i</sup> Remigii an 1699 et pro an. 1700.*

Seniores. Exim D. Paston Praeses; D. Nic. Leyburn vicep; Exim. D.

\* Born at Wrightington Hall, Lancs. 30 Nov. 1670 (o.s.), third son of Hugh Dicconson of that place, Esq. and Agnes, dau. of Roger Kirkby of Kirkby. Afterwards Vice-president of the College (1713-1720) Bishop and V.A. Northern Dist. 1641-1652. See Gillow *Dict.* ii 56, D.N.B. xvii, Brady, *Annals of Hierarchy*, 255.

† Fourth son of Ralph Crathorne and Anne dau. of William Tunstall of Scargill and Wycliffe, Yorkshire, Born 21 Oct, 1677; died before ordination circa 1699.

‡ A younger son of Thomas Crathorne of Crathorne and Ness, Esq. and Elizabeth dau. of Charles Cockayne, Viscount Cullen. He was Marmaduke's first cousin.



Edoard. Hawarden S. Th. doctor et Professor; R. D. Simon Rider et Lau. Mayes Profess. Theol. et Philosophiae. Professores, Rhaeticae Anton. Meynil; Poeseos Thom. Harding; Syntaxeos D. Stephan. Bowes; Gramaticae M. Fran. Tyrwhit *alias* Thompson, postea Carthusianus; Prof. Rudim. non nominatur neque notatur numerus alumnorum et convictorum.

*Anno, 1700.*

Juramentum alumnorum praestitit die 6 Januar. Jacobus Doyley\* dioecesis Londinensis in Anglia postea Apostata.

Item die 12 Aprilis Thom. Cornforth† Dioecesis Lichfieldiensis.

Item die 13 Spbris Joannes Francis dioecesis Cicestriensis.

Item die 8 decembris Simon Berrington‡ *alias* Woolrich Dioecesis Herefordiensis.

Die 25 Januar. hypochondriaco morbo laborans in Angliam dimissus est M. Joan. Farmer alumnus Collegii.

[p. 17]. In Anglicanam vineam missus est nobilissimus D. Joannes Savage hic Rivers Dioecesis Cestriensis, musaei praefectus, quem summis laudibus in Epist. ad Sacram Congreg. ornavit Exim. D. Praeses.

Discessit in Angliam desperata pene valetudine Benjamin Carolus Lee acolythus et alumnus: post multos annos ad ordinē Carthusianorum transiit.

*In Festo S Remigii an. 1700 et pro an 1701.*

Seniores. Exim D. Paston Praeses; D. Nicol. Leyburn Vicep; Ex. D. Ed. Hawarden et D. Sim. Rider Theologiae professores; D. Sylvester Jenks in mensa seniorum; D. Breers musaei ut opinor praefectus; D. Lau Mayes Philosophiae professor; D. Jacob\* Barker forte Confessarius; D. Tunstall praefectus; Professores Rhaeticae D. Anton Meynill vere Tod; Poeseos D. Stephanus Bowes; Syntaxeos M. Fran. Tyrwith; Gram. D. Joan Francis hic Cave; Rudim. professor non nominatur nec numerantur hoc anno Philosophi primi anni. Numerantur autem infra Theologiam studiosi 66, Theologi 12. et seniores 12 personae omīno 90 et famuli 7.

1701.

Juramentum alumnorum praestitit die 10 Aprilis Henricus Brown Dioecesis Cestriensis ex agro Lancastriensi.

Item die 2 Octobris Joan Lodge|| Dioecesis Eboracensis.

\* Born 25 July, 1676, in London, ordained at Douay in 1700 or 1701, studied at St. Gregory's, Paris, 1702-1706, tutor to the Duke of Norfolk's brothers. Subsequently apostatized.

† Thomas Corncroft *alias* Roydon, see note page 9.

‡ Simon Berrington, *alias* Woolrich, born 21 Jan. 1680 (n.s.) was son of John Berrington, Esq. of Winsley, Herefordshire and Elizabeth, dau. of Sir Thomas Woolryche, Knt. and Bart. of Dudmaston, Shropshire. After being chaplain to the Fowlers at St. Thomas's Priory, Staffordshire he removed to London, became a Caputular and Secretary to the Chapter, 1748. He died in Gray's Inn, 16 April, 1755. See Gillow *Dict.* i 197 and Kirk. *Biog.* 20.

§ Sylvester Jenks *als.* Metcalfe, born in Shropshire about 1656, ordained priest 1684, professor of philosophy at Douay, became preacher-in-ordinary to King James II, elected Bishop and V.A. Northern District but died before consecration December, 1714. See Gillow *Dict.* iii 616, and *D.N.B.*, xxix 315.

|| Born 27 April, 1681 (n.s.) at Brompton-on-Swale, Easby, Yorks, went to England, a priest in 1707, laboured in Yorkshire where he died 26 March 1741.

Item die 3<sup>o</sup> Novbris\* Laurentius Ward hic Green† dioecesis Eboracensis et Henricus Allen Eboracensis.

In Anglicanam missionem profecti sunt die 17. febr. D. Thomas Berrington dioec: Herefordiensi ex agro Salopiensi.

Item Martii 7<sup>mo</sup> in Angliam missus. D. Thomas Smith Dioecesis Cestriensis ex comitatu Lancastriensi.

Item die 5 Aprilis R. D. Augustinus Jenison Dunelmensis.

Hoc anno circa mensem Junii pie diem supremā clausit R. D. Nicolaus Leyburn hic per annos plurimos vicepraeses et Procurator dignissimus. huic in vicepraesidis munere successit Ex. D. Hawarden; in Procurator[is] R. D. Edoardus Dicconson.

*Ann. 1701.*

[p. 18]. Rediit ex Anglia circa mensem Junii Benj: Carolus Lee.

Mense Augusto Jacobus Doyley missus est Parisiis ad aliquod seminarium ut se praeparet ad missionem.

Die 24 Octobris Parisiis in missionem Anglicanam profectus est D. Anton. Jackson qui hic per annos complures literas humaniores docuerat.

*In Festo S Remigii an 1701 et pro an. 1702.*

Seniores non nominantur sed videntur fuisse Exim. D. Paston. Praeses; Exim. D. Hawarden Vicep; Theologiae Professor et credo R. D. Lau. Mayes; D. Jacobus Barker aut D. Lau Rigby Philosophiae Professor; D. Edoardus Dicconson Procurator et D. Brian. Tunstall Praefectus; forte D. Breers musaei praefectus et confessarius.

Professores D. Stephanus Bowes Rhaeticae; M. Franc. Tyrwith Poeseos; D. Joan Francis Syntaxeos; D. Thimbleby‡ Colleg. Romani sacerdos Grammaticae; et D. . . . . Walker§ Colleg. Rom. sacerdos Rudimentorum.

Non notatur numerus alumnorum et convictorum.

Circa finem anni 1701 Extat Epistola ad Sacr. Congreg. quibus petit Exim D. Praeses ut duo sacerdotes nuper missi a Collegio Romano hic doceant literas humaniores eo quod tam pauci inveniantur in collegio et eorum hac in re opera indigent.

*1702.*

Juramentum alumnorum susceperunt die 19 Martii Josephus Warrely hic Horton|| dioecesis Lichfieldiensi.

Item die 16 Aprilis Cuthbertus Perkinson Dioecesis Cestriensis ex agro Lancastriensi et Joannes Brand hic Staveley¶ Londinensis.

\* This date appears to be written "30" but it should be "3<sup>o</sup>" as the *First Douay Diary* p. 53 shows that Laurence Ward took his oath on the eve of St. Charles' day.

† Born May 1677 in York diocese; remained at Douay after ordination for a time as one of the superiors. Died at Paris 16 July, 1741.

‡ This priest is not found, at least, under this name, in Foley's defective version of the registers of the English College, Rome.

§ Robert Swarbreck *als.* Walker was son of William Swarbreck of Singleton, and Lucy his wife. He was born 1675 in Lancashire, ordained priest in Rome 17 April, 1700, and died 24 Feb. 1737.

|| Born in Lichfield diocese 29 March 1680, son of Thomas Warrely and Anne Houghton, ordained about 1712, missionary in London, Caputular in 1732, died in London 2 Dec. 1764.

¶ Born in London 1675; went to England 1707; died at Stenley, Worc. early in 1750.



Item die 17 Sepbris Joan Seisin Londinensis. In Angliam missus est Georg. Lane Dioecesis Lichfieldiensis; dicitur in Epist. ad Sacr. Congreg. mediocriter doctus, et ni fallor mediocritate infimi gradus. In Anglia paulo post mortuus.

[p. 19]. Mense Julii hinc discesserunt duo Sacerdotes Romani humaniorum literarum i.e. Grammaticae et Rudimentorum hoc anno professores.

Circa mensem Octobris Parisiis ad collegium reversus est D. Laurentius Rigby ut Phi[losophi]am hic doceat.

*In Festo Sti Remigii an 1702 et pro an, 1703.*

Seniores. Exim D. Paston Praeses; Exim D. Hawarden Vicep. et Theol. profess; D. Laur. Mayes Theol. profess; D. Tunstall praefectus Generalis; D. Jacob. Barker a confessionibus; D. Ed. Diccons. procurator; D. Gul. Crathorn et D. Laur. Rigb. Philosophiae professores.

Professores Rhaetoricae M. Fran. Tyrwith; Poeseos D. Joan Francis; Syntaxeos D. Carolus Hawarden; Grammaticae Dns Henricus Brown; 1 Classis Rudiment. D. Thom. Plumerden et 2 Classis Rudimentorum D. Augustinus Poyntz. Theologi 5, Philosophi primi anni 9, 2<sup>di</sup> anni 7, Rhaetores 8, Poetae 5, In Syntaxi 10, In Gramm: 12, In prima classe Rudiment 5, et 2<sup>da</sup> classe Rudimentorum 13.

Personae omnino 88 praeter famulos.

*Anno, 1703.*

Juramentū alumnorum praestiterunt die 27 maii Gulielmus Gildon\* dioecesis Bristolensis (hic Biflet). Et Edoard<sup>s</sup> Melling† dioecesis Cestriensis in agro Lancastriensi.

Item Jun. 29 Ricardus Martin‡ dioecesis Cestriensis, Lancastriensis.

Item 8 7bris Gilbertus Haydock§ dioecesis Cestriensis ex agro Lancastriae et Christophorus Tod dioecesis Dunelmensis.

Item Lucas Gardiner hic Midford|| dioecesis Dunelmensis ex comitatu Northumbriae.

Item 27 10<sup>bris</sup> Cuthbertus Haydock¶ dioecesis Cestriensis.

\* William Gildon *als.* Biflet, or Byfleet, Byflet, probably a nephew of Dr. John Gildon *als.* Byfleet (b. 1637-d. 1700), son of Joseph Gildon and Jane Barnes born in Dorsetshire 22 Sept. 1680 (o.s.). Laboured as a priest in Dorsetshire where he died 19 Oct. 1743.

† Son of Ralph Melling and Anne Tootell, and first cousin of Hugh Tootell *als.* Dodd, the historian. Born in Lancashire 24 March 1683 (n.s.) afterwards missionary at Fernyhalgh where he died 19 April 1733.

‡ *Alias* Charnock, son of Richard Martin and Elizabeth Hawkeshead, born in Lancashire 4 April 1684.

§ Second son of William Haydock Esq. of Cottam Hall, Lancs. and Jane dau. of Hugh Anderton of Euxton Hall. Born 1682, ordained at Douay 1708, imprisoned for the faith at Lancaster 1716, chaplain to the Augustinian nuns at Louvain 1716-1749. Died at Louvain 22 Sept. 1749.

|| Luke Gardiner *als.* Midford and Carnaby, son of John Gardiner and Catherine Midford, born in Durham, 20 June 1683, and probably a relative of James Midford (*vide supra*). He went to St. Gregory's, Paris, was ordained there and took his doctorate 1716. For his career see C.R.S. xiv 117 note. Died 2 Oct. 1750.

¶ Third son of William and Jane Haydock, and younger brother of Gilbert just mentioned. Born 1684, ordained at Douay 1714, Capitular 1734, chaplain to the Duke of Norfolk at Worksop for 40 years and died there 11 Jan. 1763. Mr. Joseph Gillow had in his possession portraits of Cuthbert Haydock and his parents.

Et Joan Shuttleworth\* dioecesis Eboracensis.

1703.

[p. 20]. In Vineam Anglicanam 22 Martii missus est R. D. Stephanus Bowes; literas humaniores cum applausu docuerat.

Circa finem anni Parisiis rediit R. D. Lancelottus Thimbleby vere Thompson ut hic Philosophiam doceret.

Parisiis profectus iterum est R. D. Jacobus Rigby hic Barker.

Mense Octobri missus est ad Seminarium Atrebatense Augustinus Newdigate Poyntz et huc reversus est sequenti Januario. D. Thomas Plumerden profectus est ad Abbatiam la Trapp et huc iterum reversus.

*In Festo S. Remigii an 1703 et pro an. 1704.*

Seniores Ex D. Paston Praeses; Ex. D. Hawarden Vicep. et Theol. Prof; R. D. Lau<sup>r</sup>. Mayes Theol. professor; D. Tunstal praefectus generalis; D. Edoard<sup>s</sup> Dicconson procurator; D. Gulielm<sup>s</sup> Crathorn Studiorum Praefectus, Concionator et Confessarius; Laur. Rigby et Lancel. Thimbleby Philosophiae professores.

Professores humaniorum litterarū: D. Joan. Francis Rhoeticae; D. Carolus Hawarden poeseos; Henricus Brown Syntaxeos; Francisc Thompson Tyrwith Grammaticae; Aug. Poyntz Rudimentorum.

In collegio Alumni et convictores 100 praeter famulos.

1704.

Juramentum alumnorū praestiterunt die 24 Jun. Ricardus Kendall† Cestriensis ex agro Lancastriensi et Joan. Hatherley‡ Lichfieldiensis Dioecesis.

Item die 4 Octobris Fran. Hodgson§ Eboracensis.

In Angliam missus die 17 Martii R. D. Sim. Rider Lichfieldiensis Sac. Fac. Parisiensis Doctor Theologus qui hic docuerat duos Philosophiae cursus et per duos annos Theologiam.

Mense 7bri Luc. Gardiner missus est ad seminariū Parisense.

25 9bris hinc dimissus est Aug. Newdigate Poyntz Subdiaconus. Vide alibi in Epistolis quae gesta fuerant ab eodem Aug Pointz cum aliis quibusdam quae opportune tempore detecta sunt et invidiorum ac malevolorum dissiperunt consilia et machinationes contra Collegium. || Vide inferius initio sequentis diarii Epistolam Emn Cardlis Paulucii

\* Son of John Shuttleworth and Elizabeth Elton, born in York Diocese 27 Feb. 1678 o.s. Missioner in Nottinghamshire where he died 29 Jan. 1739 (n.s.).

† One of four brothers, all priests, Richard, Henry, George and Robert Kendal, sons of John Kendal of Fulwood and Catherine Tomlinson. The four brothers Southworth, also all priests, were their first cousins. Richard Kendal was born 11 March 1683 (n.s.), was ordained 1709 professor of philosophy and theology for some years, afterwards chaplain to the Duke of Norfolk. Died at Arundel Castle 18 February 1748 (n.s.). See Gillow, *Dict.* iv 8.

‡ Son of Francis and Sarah Hatherley, born in Lichfield dioc. 18 October 1682. Ordained, and went to England July 1710.

§ There were two priests named Francis Hodgson about this time, one of whom died 24 May, 1726, the other in April, 1733. The former was ordained about 1675, and was at this time living at Hutton Hall. The latter, here referred to, was known as Simpson at Douay. He was son of Thomas Hodgson and Mary Simpson, and was born in Yorkshire, 14 September, 1689 (o.s.).

|| For a good summary of these troubles see Gillow, *Dict.* iii 176-177 (s.v. Hawarden).



jussu Pontificis ad Epos nostros in Anglia *ad obstruendum ora loquentia iniqua* data 17 feb. an 1711.

Et ibidem Epistlam ejusdē Cardlis Secretarii eadem autoritate ad Praesidē Convictores et alumnos Colleg. statim post inaugurationē D. R. Witham die 26 Martii an 1715.

*In Festo S. Remigii an 1704 et pro an. 1705.*

[p. 21]. Seniores. Ex. D. Paston Praeses; Ex. D. Hawarden. Vicep et Theol. P.; D. Laur Mayes S Th. professor; D. Tunstal Confess et praefectus musaei; Lau. Ward hic Green praefectus Gen; D. Ed. Diccons[on] Procurator; Gul. Crathorn stud. praefectus et concionator; Lancel. Thompson et Lau. Rigb. Philosophiae professores; D. Fran. Thyrwith Syntax. Professor; Rhaetorcae Professor D. Car. Hawarden; Poeseos Henricus Brown; Gramatcae Josephs Warrely hic Horton; Rudim. Joan Seisin.

Personae omnino 87 praeter famulos.

*Anno 1705.*

Juram[entum] alumnorum praestiterunt Petrus Cartmel\* Cestriensis et Joan Meals hic Cornwall† Wigorniensis die 19 Martii.

Item die 10 Maii Jacobus Gorsuch‡ Cestriensis et, Lancastriensis.

Item die 8 10bris Thom. Brocholes§ Cestriensis ex agro Lancastriae

Item die 29. 10<sup>bris</sup> Rob. Heydon|| dioecesis Glocestriensis. Et Samuel Bourn hic Quintin¶ dioecesis Lichfieldiensis.

In Angliam hoc anno profectus est D. Josephus Digby.

Hoc anno ni fallor et praecedenti coeperunt nonnulli clanculum mussitare contra doctrinam Collegii et praecipue contra Exim. D. Hawardenum quem cum aliis 4 Jansenismi clam insimulare coeperunt. Nulli tamen unquam ausi sunt agnoscere se esse accusatores, sed erat negotium perambulans in tenebris. Vide complures hac de re Epistolas, et lib. 24 Epistolarum Anglicano idiomate ad Provincialem S. J. Provinciae Anglicanae.\*\*

\* Son of Edward Cartmell and . . . . Brockholes; born in Lancashire 29 June, 1684 (o.s.). He left the College before ordination.

† John Meals *als.* Cornwall, son of Thomas Meals and Elizabeth Rollings, born in Worcester diocese. The name is erroneously printed "Meabs" in the *First Douay Diary*, p. 54. Kirk calls him John Mails Cornwall. After teaching for some years at Douay he became confessor to the Benedictine nuns at Dunkirk, where he died 6 January, 1756.

‡ *Alias* Eccleston and Metham. Son of James Gorsuch and Abigail, daughter of George Metham, of North Cove, Metham, York. Missioner for many years at Burscough Hall; capitular 1737. Died 19 January, 1739.

§ Son of John Brockholes of Claughton Hall, Lancs., and Anne, daughter and heiress of Thomas Barcroft, of Barcroft Hall, Lancs. Nephew of Rev. Thomas Brockholes, sen., and Roger Brockholes. Ordained priest in 1706, he was General Prefect (1709-1713) and Procurator (1715-1722). Afterwards missioner at Wolverhampton, then chaplain to the Giffards of Chillington Hall, Staffs. Capitular, 1729. Died at Chillington, 16 January 1758.

|| Son of Francis Heydon and Christina Waters; born in Gloucester diocese, 13 January 1683; went to St. Gregory's, Paris [see C.R.S. xix 119], where after ordination he took his doctorate, 1718.

¶ *Alias* Quintin, son of John Bourne and Elizabeth Quintin. Born in Lichfield Diocese. Died before ordination in 1711.

\*\* See the account in Gillow, *Dict.* iii 176, already cited.

*In Festo S. Remigii an. 1705 et pro an. 1706.*

Seniores. Ex. D. Paston Praeses; E. D. Hawarden Vicep. et S. Th. P.; D. Laur. Mayes S. Th. prof.; D. Laur Rigby hic Barker; D. Tunstall confess. et praefectus musaei; Gul. Crath. praefectus musaei et concionator; D. Laur. Green praefectus; D. Ed. Dicconson procurator; Lancelotus Thompson et Carolus Hawarden Philosophiae professores; Franciscus Thompson Thurwith Poeseos Profess; Profess. Rhaeticae Henricus Brown; Syntax. Joseph<sup>s</sup> Horton; Gram. Joan Seisin; Rudiment. Thom. Brocholes.

Personae omnino 91. praeter famulos.

*Anno 1706.*

Juram[entum] praestiterunt die 29 Jun Georg. Hind\* dioecesis Londinensis. Et die 7<sup>mo</sup> 7bris nobilissimus Henricus Howard † frater natu 2d<sup>e</sup> Thom. Howard ducis de Norfolcia.

Item 8 7bris Gulielm<sup>s</sup> Tempest ‡ dioecesis Londinensis.

Missi sunt in vineam Anglicanā. R. D. Henricus Allen § Eboracensis et Thom. Plumerden Londinensis mense maio.

Item die 16 Junii missus Lancelott<sup>s</sup> Thompson hic Thimbleby Baccalaur. Facultatis Parisensis; hic Philosophiam docuit.

Circa finem anni reversus est Parisiis D. Jacobus Rigby hic Barker Facul[atis] Parisiensis doctor ut hic Theol. doceat.

[p. 22]. Circa finem aestatis Romam hoc anno profectus est D. Laur. Mayes, qui duos cursus Philosophiae et Theologiam per sex annos docuerat, ut ibi esset cleri agens seu Procurator.

Missus est, ut videtur, hoc anno in Angliam R. D. Gulielmus Crathorn qui literas humaniores et Philosophiam docuerat et qui per aliquot annos fuerat Confessarius, musaei et etiam Studiorum praefectus fuerat. [*In margin, missus revera fuit an. sequenti statim post D. Hawarden.*]

*In Festo S. Remigii an 1706 et pro an 1707.*

Hoc anno ne Catalogus quidem scriptus relinquitur.

Seniores Exim. D. Paston Praeses; Exim D. Ed. Hawarden Vicepraeses et S Th pr; Ex D. Jacobus Barker S Th. D. et prof; Tunstal Confessarius et praefectus musaei; D. Green Praefectus; D. Ed. Dicconson Procurator. D. Lancelott Thimbleby alias Thompson et D. Carol Hawarden Philosophiae Professores; Professores M. Fran. Tyrwith

\* Son of Francis Hinde and Anne Wakeman, born in London. Having taught philosophy at Douay, he went to St. Gregory's, Paris, where he was procurator, 1716-1722, and again 1734-1741. Capitular 1734. In 1741 he became confessor to the English nuns at Rouen, where he died, April, 1752.

† Brother of Thomas, eighth Duke of Norfolk. He was the second son of Lord Thomas Howard of Worksop and Elizabeth Mary, daughter of Sir John Savile of Copley. and was born 20 December, 1684. After his ordination at Douay in 1709 he spent five years at St. Gregory's, Paris (see C.R.S. xix 120), but did not proceed to a degree. After working some years in London and becoming a Capitular in 1713, he was elected Bishop of Utica and coadjutor bishop to Dr. Giffard, but died before consecration 22 November, 1720.

‡ Born in London, Nov., 1683. Went to England, a priest, June, 1711. Capitular, 1748. Chaplain to Carlton, Yorks, where he died, 24 Oct., 1766.

§ Born 3 Sept., 1687, in York diocese. After ordination in 1706 he was missionary first at Hartlepooi and then at Sunderland, April, 1733.



*alias* Thompson profess[or] Rhoetoricae et senior. D Josephus Horton, Poeseos; D. Joan Seisin Syn; D. Sim. Berrington Gram; D Thom. Roydon Rudimentorum.

Anno 1707.

Juramentum praestitit die 13 feb. Emanuel Christmas\* dioec. Norvicensis.

In Angliam missus circa mensem Martii R. D. Joan. Brand hic Staveley Londinensis. Et circa mensem Junii R. D. Carolus Hawarden Lancastriensis qui hic literas humaniores et Philosophiae cursum docuerat. et Joan Lodge Eboracensis.

Item mense Augusti. Exim. D. Edw Hawarden Vicep[raeses] per annos 5, Sacr. Theol. doctor et Prof. per annos 17. post duos Philosophiae cursus, Confessarius, Praefectus Studiorum, quae omnia summo omnium applausu praestitit; sed invidorum et calumniantium linguas vitare non poterat.

Hinc quoque sponte discesserunt circa finē anni duo alumni Petrus Cartmel Acolythus et Henricus Brown tanquam reversuri: nec tamen sunt reversi; uterque ex agro Lancastrienti.

*In Festo S Remigii 1707 et pro an. 1708.*

[p. 23]. Ne catalogus quidem exstat. Seniores Ex. D. Paston Praeses. Exim D. Jacob<sup>a</sup> Rigby hic Barker S Th. P. et Exim. D Laur Rigby Sac. Theologiae Professores; D. Tunstall Confessarius et musaei Praefectus; D. Green Praefect<sup>a</sup> Generalis; D. Dicconson Procurator; D. Perkinson Philosophiae professor.

Professor Rhaetorcae M. Horton; Poeseos D. Joan Seisan; Syntax. D Berrington; Gram. D. Fran. Hodgson; Rudim. D. Roydon.

1708.

Juramentum alumnorū [praestitit] die 27 Januar. Joan Bury† Eboracensis.

Item die 30[3]tio ut in alio libro no[vem]bris Richard<sup>a</sup> Challoner‡ hic Willard Cicestriensis

Item die 26 10<sup>bris</sup> Joan. Mellings§ Cestriensis ex agro Lancastriae.

Mense 7bri In Angliam missus est D. Edoard Mellings§ Cestriensis ex agro Lancastriae expletis 4 Theol. annis.

Ad Seminarium quoddam Parisiis missus est R. D. Thom. Cornforth et circa mensem nov<sup>bris</sup> Parisiis in Anglicanam missionē profecturus dicitur Jacobus Doyly postea apostata.

\* Son of John Christmas of Waterperry, Oxfordshire, and Sarah Clerk, his wife (C.R.S. viii 337), but described in the Diary as born in Norwich diocese. Ordained in 1710, and was General Prefect from 1713 till 1718, when he became confessor to the Blue Nuns at Paris, where he died 30 March, 1748. In Paris he acted as agent for the English clergy.

† Son of Matthias Bury and Elizabeth Singleton; born in York dioc. 27 July, 1688. He did not become a priest.

‡ Bishop Challoner (b. 1691, d. 1781). See Burton, *Life and Times of Bishop Challoner*, Gillow, *Dict.* i 447, and *D.N.B.* ix 440. The "other book" referred to is the First Douay Diary; the passage cited is on p. 55 of the published edition.

§ A younger son of Ralph Mellings and Anne Tootell, and brother of Edward Mellings already mentioned. Born 8 Feb. 1689, ordained 1714. Confessor to the nuns at Louvain from 1716 till his death, 10 May, 1745.

*In Festo S. Remigii an. 1708 et pro an. 1709.*

Deest catalogus. Seniores Ex. D. Paston Praeses. Ex. D. Jacobus Barker Theologiae Professor et Ex D. Laur Rigby S. Th. P.; D. Petrus Tunstall Confessarius et Praefectus musaei; D. Laur. Green Procurator; D Ed. Diccon. Prof. Syntax et senior; D. Cuthbertus Perkinson Philosophiae professor.

Professor Rhaeticae D. Joan Seison; Poeseos D. Sim. Berrington; Gram. D. Henr. Howard hic Paston; Rudm M. Biflet.\*

*Anno 1709.*

Juramentū praestiterunt die 23 April D. Gibson† dioec. Dunelmensis et ex Northumbria.

Et die 14 Sep<sup>bris</sup> Gulielmus Thompson hic Temple‡ dioecesis Norvicensis. die 3 gbris Fran. Squib. hic Petre§ Londinensis. Et die 27 iobris Henricus Kendal|| Cestriensis.

Mense Martio profectus est Dunkirkam R. D. Joan. Francis hic Cave ut Confessarii munere fungatur apud Ang. Clarissas. Circa mensem Aprilis Epistola missa ad Sacr. Cong. qua significabatur R. D. Fran. Hodgson in amentiam cecidisse.

Missi sunt hoc anno in Angliam. D Thomas Cornforth. et D Gulielmus Gildon, hic Biflet dioeces. Bristolensis.

Item D. Gilbertus Haydock, Cestriensis et D. Christop Tod.¶

Parisios missus est D. Henr. Howard frater Ducis Norfolciae natus in Dioecesi Eboracensi.

*In Festo S Remigii an 1709 et pro an. 1710.*

[p. 24]. Seniores Ex D. Paston Praeses; Ex D. Jac. Barker et ex D. Laur Rigby S. Th Professores; D. Brian Petrus Tunstall Confessarius, D. Ed. Dicconson Poeseos Professor et senior; D. Laur. Ward hic Green Procurator; D. Thom Brocholes Praefectus; D. Cuthb. Perkinson et

\* William Gildon *alias* Biflet. "M" here indicates *Magister*.

† *Alias* Bulmer, younger son of Thomas Gibson of Stagshaw Close House, Northumberland, gent., and Bridget, daughter and co-heiress of Jasper Charlton of Hawkhope, gent.; thus he was brother of George Gibson of Stonecroft, and not his son as Kirk states (Biog., p. 98). He was missionary at Newcastle-on-Tyne for many years, a Caputular in 1734, and Archdeacon of Yorkshire 1735-1765. Died 20 Jan., 1765.

‡ William Thompson, *als.* Bennet, *als.* Temple, born in Norwich dioc. about 1667 being the son of William Thompson and Frances Jackler. He entered Douay much above the average age, and took the oath of an alumnus when he was about 42. He was ordained priest in due course, and died 28 Sept., 1726. No particulars of his priestly career seem available.

§ Squibb, Francis, *als.* Petre, afterwards Vice-President of the College (1732-1762) always known as Francis Petre, and to be distinguished from Francis Petre, afterwards Bishop of Amorium and V.A. North. Dist. (1752-1775). He spent his whole life at Douay, being Procurator for 40 years and Vice-president for 30. Kirk says he was "an invaluable Procurator and disciplinarian." Died at Douay 26 Jan., 1762.

|| Son of John Kendal of Fulwood, Lancs., and Catherine Tomlinson. See note on his brother Richard (p. 21 *sup.*). He was born 20 June, 1689. After ordination was successively professor at Douay, chaplain to the Salvins at Croxdale Hall, missionary at Cottam Chapel and Manchester. He died in his brother George's house at Ladywell, Farnyhalgh, Lancs., 29 Oct., 1752.

¶ Born in Durham bishopric, son of George Todd and Mary Metcalfe. Left Douay a priest 1709, but his subsequent career is not known.



D Ric. Kendall Philosophiae Professores; M. Fran. Tyrwith *alias* Thomson et D Gul. Thomson *alias* Temple seniores i.e. 12 Seniores. Professor Rhaetoricae D. Sim. Berrington; Syntaxeos D Joan Seison; Gram. D. Ricard<sup>a</sup> Martin *alias* Charnoch; Rudim. [Cuthb.] Gilbertus Haydock.

Personae 82 praeter famulos.

Anno 1710.

Juramentum alumnorum praestitit 3 nob<sup>ria</sup> Nicol. Skelton\* dioecesis Carleolensis ex Cumbria.

Item 27. 10<sup>bris</sup> Joan Theobald hic Strange dioecesis Wintoniensis. Hic discessit absque ordinibus.

Mense Julii in messem Anglicanam missi sunt D. Ric. Martin dioecesis Cestriensis et D. Joan Hatherley Lichfieldensis.

D. Jac. Gorsuch missus est ad Sem. quoddam in Gallia ut se praeparet ad missionem mense Jul 29.

Mense 7bri in vineam Anglicanam D. Jacobus Barker vere Rigby Fac. Paris. doctor qui hic sac. Theol. docuerat.

Missus est ad Semin. Anglorum Parisios D. Joan. Bury Eboracensis. sed subdiaconus in Angliam discessit.

Hoc anno circa diem 27 Aprilis obsessa est Civitas Duacena a copiis Confoederatorum et capta est circa diem 29 Junii.†

Circa idem Tempus visitatores Collegii propter falsos rumores circa novam doctrinam faventem Jansenistis designatus fuerat Exim D. Adrian Delcourt Professor Regius,‡ notus adversarius Exim Dno Hawardeno et Ex. de Marq: sed occasione obsidionis abrupta est aut dilata visitatio. Durante obsidio[ne] nostri exceptis paucis Insulas profecti sunt.

*In Festo S. Remigii an. 1710 et pro an. 1711.*

Ex. D. Paston Praeses; Ex. D. Laur Rigby, Vicepraeses S. Th. P.; D. Cuth Parkinson, S. Th. P.; D. Tunstal Confessarius. D. Ed. Dicconson professor Rhaetoricae et senior; D. Lau. Green (Ward) Procurator; D. Th. Brocholes Praef. Gen; D Ric. Kendall et D. Simon Berrington Philosophiae professores. D Guli. Tompson (Temple) Professor poeseos; D Ric. Kendal et D. Sam. Quintin, D. Christmas Syntaxeos; D Cuthbertus Haydock Gram.; Gul Temp[est] Rudim..

Personae omnino 63 praeter famulos.

An. 1711.

Juramentū Alumnorum die 28 Jun. Petrus Macclesfield § dioec Lich-

\* Born in Cumberland 17 Dec. 1691, son of Richard Skelton and Mary Meynell, and related to the Salvins and Scropes. He became the first missionary at Lancaster, where he was imprisoned after the rising of 1745, but liberated, as no complicity could be proved against him. He served that mission for over 50 years, and died there 13 Nov., 1766, aged nearly 75.

† For a detailed account of this siege, see Burton, *Life and Times of Bishop Challoner*, i 21-28.

‡ The appointment of Dr. Delcourt was successfully opposed on an appeal to the Nuncio at Brussels, made in the name of the College by Rev. Edward Dicconson, and when the visitation was made after the siege was over, other visitors were appointed.

§ Son of Peter Macclesfield of Chesterton Hall, near Newcastle-under-Lyme, Staffs, and Margaret, daughter of Robert Belt of Overton, Yorkshire, Esq.

fieldiensis. Item die 3 obris Hugo Haydock\* Cestriensis, postea dimissus. Gualterus Lacon† Salopiensis postea hinc discessit, et Bernard<sup>s</sup> Tournier‡ Londinensis.

Missus est in Angl. feb. 11 R. D. Joan. Shuttleworth Eboracensis.

Item mense Junio Jacobus Gorsuch Cestriensis et D Gul. Tempest.

Hoc anno mortui sunt R. D. Cuth. Perkinson et D. Sam. Quintin.

Iterum hoc anno visitator designatus fuit ab Internuntio Bruxellensi D. Doctor Delcourt et ipsi adjunctus Ex. D de Marc Regius Professor sed autoritate Protectoris novi Visitatores nominati sunt D. Dechers et D. Smet Canonici Mechlinienses qui ab omni malae doctrinae suspicione liberarunt Collegium imo illud summis laudibus ornarunt.§

[Inserted between pages 24 and 25].

Dilecto filio Eduardo Paston Moderno et pro tempore exūti Rectori Collegii Anglorū Duacen.

*Clemens PP XI.*

Dilecte fili Salutem etc. de tuâ singulari fide, prudentiâ, et doctrinâ plurimū in Dño confidentes, ea Tibi benignè concedenda duximus, quae infrāpti Collegii et Alumnorū illius commodo, et utilitati profutura esse cognoscimus. Itaque de Venium fratrum nrorum S. R. E. Cardinalium in universâ Repub:Christiana contra hereticā prauitatem Inquisitorum Generalium a Sede Aplica specialiter deputatorum consilio Tibi moderno et pro tempore ex[iste]nti Rectori ut ad quinquennium proximum tantum, et interim quamdiu Rectoris munere in isto Collegio Anglorū Duacei fungeris, seu Rector huiusmodi pro tempore existente fungetur, quo ipsius Scholares Alumni post longos studiorū labores sacerdotali ministerio pro Loci et temporis necessitate fungi, et functionibus sacris assuescere ac Ecclīae dicti Collegii officia divina praestare, seu uti Operarii fructuosius mitti valeant, eisdem Alumni(s) ut de tuo consensu, et examine praecedente, et absque literis dimissoriis, suorū Ordinariorū et non obstante quocumque natalium defectu, super quo cum illis gratiosè dispensamus Clericali militiae adscribi, et aliquibus quatuor etiam feriatis, et continuis vel interpolatis, seu unica diebus ad quatuor minores necnon tribus dominicis seu aliis festiuis diebus (non tamen continuis, sed semper aliquo temporis spatio arbitrio tuo definiendo interpolatis) etia(m) absque ullo beneficii, vel patrimonii titulo ad sacros et Presbyteratus Ordines extrā tempora à Jure Statuta, et anni curriculo non expectato, nec seruatis interstitiis à S. Concilio Tridentinodesignatis, et absque eo quod antequàm de uno ad alium Ordinem promoueat|| in primo quoque suscepto ministrare, aut alicuius Ecclīae seruitio adscribi teneantur promoueri et promoti in illis etiam in Altaris

\* Fourth son of William Haydock, Esq., of Cottam Hall, Lancs., and Jane, daughter of Hugh Anderton, Esq., of Euxton Hall. Younger brother of Gilbert and Cuthbert already noted. After his dismissal he married and resided abroad, and was the father of Sister Jane Monica Barbara Haydock, O.S.A. (professed at Louvain, 1739; died, 1789).

† Son of Thomas Lacon and Elizabeth Astley, of Shropshire.

‡ Son of Bernard Turnour, of London, and Mary Samuel, born 17 Nov., 1693 taught philosophy at Douay; died at Arundel in 1735.

§ For an account of this visitation, see Burton, *Life and Times of Bishop Challoner*, i 31-33.

|| [promouantur? Ed.]



ministerio ministrare libere, et licitè valeant concedere, et indulgere necnon Tibi, ut per Te, vel Confessorem idoneū quem eligendum duxeris singulos Alumnos a quibusvis excommunicationis suspensionis, et interdicti aliisque Ecclesiis sententiis censuris et poenis a Jure, uel ab homine quavis occasione, vel causa latis, quas ipsi pro tempore quomodolibet incurrerint, et a quibusvis peccatis et excessibus ac delictis quantumcumquè grauib, et enormibus etiam in causis in literis die Coenae Dni legi solitis contentis (conspirationis in personā uel statum Romani Pontificis, falsificationis Scripturarū et literarum Aplicarum, delationis armorum et aliorum prohibitorum ad partes Infidelium, ac injectionis manuum violentarum in Praelatis dumtaxat exceptis) absolvere, ac pro commissis paenitentia salutarem, et alia iniungenda eis iniungere, et cum eis super irregularitate per eos quomodolibet (praeterquam occasione homicidii voluntarii, bigamiae, et Hæresis) contracta dispensare liberè et licitè valeas dictusque Rector pro tempore exns valeat auctoritate Applicā tenore praesentium facultate concedimus, et indulgemus. Praesentibus post lapsū quinquennii hujusmodi minime valituris. Non Obstantibus Constitutionibus, et Ordinationibus Aplicis ac in Universalibus Prouincialibusq. et Synodalibus Conciliis editis generalibus uel specialibus coeterisque contrariis quibuscumque. Datum S. P. F. 8 Aprilis 1712 no° 12°

*In Festo S. Remig. an. 1711 et pro an. 1712.*

[p. 25]. Exim. D. Paston Praeses; Exim. D. L. Rigby Vicepraeses, S. Th. P.; D. Ric. Kendall S. Th. P.; D. Tunstall Confessarius; D. Ed. Dicconson Philosophiae Professor; D. Green (Ward) Procurator; D. Brocholes praefectus; D. Sim. Berrington Philosophiae Professor; D. Thompson alias Temple. Professor Rhoetoricae, D. Eman Christmass; Poeseos. D. Rich. Challoner hic Willard; Synt. D. Cuth. Haydock; Gram. D. Hind; Rudimentorum, D. Joan Cornwall Meales.

Personae saltem ante finem an. 81. praeter famulos.

1712.

Juramentum Alumnorum praestiterunt Joan. Dun\* die 12 Feb. dioec. Dunelmensis e Northumbria. Item 12 Martii Clemens Scot† Londinensis Item 28 iobris Josephus Martin‡ Londinensis.

Mense Aprilis Parisios profectus est D. Laur Ward hic Green ut esset confessarius monialiū Anglarum ordinis S. Augustini.

Mense Junio in Angliam mittitur D. Gul. Tompson hic Temple Norvicensis.

Item 17 Octob. ex Sem. Parisi D. Rob Heydon Sac. Theol. Baccalaureus.

Hoc anno alteram obsidionem§ ab exercitu Gallorum sub Duce de

\* Son of John Dunn and his wife Jane Carr of the bishopric of Durham. Born in Northumberland, May, 1692. After his ordination in 1717 he became chaplain to Mr. Trappes at Nidd. Died 29 Jan., 1741.

† Son of Clement Scott and Susanna Green; born in Essex 31 July, 1692. Ordained 1717, after which he was a professor at Douay till 1722 when he left for England.

‡ Son of Sir Roger Martin of Sussex, Knt. Born in London. After ordination he remained as professor of Douay, till 1720 when he left under circumstances recorded later in the Diary.

§ See *Life and Times of Bishop Challoner*, 1, 34-35.

Villars passa est haec civitas a vigilia Assumptionis B. Virginis usque ad diem Nativitatis quando iterum capta est. Nostri exceptis sex aut 7 egressi sunt Atrebatum et illic manserunt. Tormentis Bellicis maxime expositum fuit hoc Collegium et moenia multis in locis perforata.

*In Festo S Remigii an. 1712 et pro an. 1713.*

Exim. D Paston Praeses; Ex. D. Rigby Vicepraeses, S Th. P.; D. Ric. Kendall S Th. P.; D. Tunstal Procurator; D. Dicconson Philosophiae Professor; D. Thom. Brocholes praefectus Generalis; D. Berrington cui die 8 8bris successit D. Rich. Challoner Philosophiae Professor; Professor Rhaetoricae D. Willard *alias* Challoner; Poeseos D. Cuthbertus Haydock; Syntax D. Hind; Gram. D. Joan Cornwall; Rud. M. Fran. Squib hic Petre.

Personae in initio anni omnino 68 praeter famulos.

Nullus hoc anno alumnus.

Missus est in Angliam Aprilis 27 R. D. Joan. Seison Londinensis qui literas humaniores sex annis docuerat.

Item 5 7bris Parisios ad Seminarium quoddam profectus est ut se missionem praepararet R. D. Joseph Warrely hic Horton Literas humaniores per 4 annos docuerat literis Hebraicis apprime eruditus.

Die 10 Octobris Lovanium profectus est R. D. Sim. Berrington ut esset Confessarius Monalium Anglarum ordinis S. Augustini. Literas humaniores per quatuor annos et tribus Philosophiam hic docuerat.\*

Die 15 7bris in Angliam missus est Exi: D. Laurentius Rigby. S. Th. Facultatis Parisiensis doctor, hic per duos† annos vicepraeses. Theologiam per sex annos Philosophiam etiam docuerat..

*In Festo S. Remigii an 1713 et pro an. 1714.*

Exim. D Paston Praeses; R. D. Ed. Dicconson Vicepraeses et S. Th. Professor; D. Richard Kendall sac. Theol. Professor; D. Brian Petrus Tunstall Procurator; D. Tho. Brocholes concionator et Musaei Praefectus; R. D. Geor. Hind Philosophiae Professor; D. Rich Challoner hic Willard Philosophiae Professor; D. Emanuel Christmass Praefectus Generalis; Professores, D. Hen. Kendall Rhaetoricae professor; D. Josep. Martin Poeseos; D. Joan Cornwall Syntaxeos; D. Nicol Skelton Gram; Mag. Lacon Rudimentorum.

Personae ante finem anni 95 praeter famulos.

*Anno 1714.*

Juramentū alumnorum die 5 maii praestitit Matthæus Beare‡ dioecesis Exoniensis.

\* This passage is printed as written. The meaning would seem to be that Mr. Berrington had taught Philosophy for three years, but in fact he had only just commenced his third year.

† Three years according to the entries made above.

‡ Son of John Beare and Mary Collins. Born 4 Nov., 1688. Kirk wrongly states that he was a native of Oxfordshire, but the Douay Diaries here and elsewhere, call him "Exoniensis" not "Oxonensis." After ordination in 1721 he took his doctorate at Paris in 1729 (See C.R.S. XIX, 123) when he went to England, was elected a capitular in 1723 and was chaplain to the Duke of Norfolk for many years. On 24 April, 1739, he was appointed Superior of St. Gregory's Seminary, Paris, in which office he died while on a visit to Douay, 2 Sept., 1746.



Missus in Angliam die 26 Martii an 1714 R. D. Cuthbertus Haydock quamvis hinc discesserat ob negotia quædam die 6 gbris an. præcedenti,

Hoc anno die 26 maii mortuus nobilis juvenis Alexander Barlow hic Meynill\* Grammatica.

Die 8 Julii obiit nobilis juvenis Georgius Tunstall† e Poesi.

Die 21 Julii diem clausit supremam Exim D. Edoard<sup>s</sup> Paston, ex nobili familia. Praesidis officium per annos 26 tenuit; novas et optimas pro Collegio Constitutiones et regulas obtinuerat an 1689 ab Emntsmo Protectore Cardli de Norfolcia autoritate Apostolica roboratos quibus si adamussim inhaesisset, neque alias mutationes et reformationes addidisset, forsitan magis quietum et prosperum fuisset ipsius regimen; saltem multi e clero Anglicano sic judicabant. Theologiam hic per multos annos docuerat, vir ingenio, memoriâ, iudicio præstanti, pietate et vitæ Sanctimoniâ præstantior. Non fuit hujus Collegii alumnus sed in eodem Collegio a teneris annis educatus et totam pene vitam in Collegio consumpsit. Requiescat in pace.

*In Festo S Remigii an 1714 et pro 1715.*

Seniores. R. D. Edoard<sup>s</sup> Dicconson Vicepraeses et S Th. P.; D. Ric Kendall S. T. P.; D. Brocholes Procurator; D Willard Challoner et [D. Joseph Martin *erased*] Philosophiæ professores; D. Geo. Hind musaei Praefectus et Concionator; D. Emanuel Christmass Praefect<sup>s</sup> Generalis; Literarum humaniorum Professores D. Joseph<sup>s</sup> Martin, Rhaetor; D. Joan Cornwall Poeseos; D. Joan Melling Syntaxeos; D. Thom Gibson hic Bulmer Grammaticae; Rudim: Gualterus Lacon.

*Anno 1715.*

Deficiente vel absente Praeside nullus receptus est alumnus.

Die 3 Februar an 1715 a sacrâ Congreg. de Propag. fide (cum non esset Protector) constitutus est Praeses Erud. D. Robertus Witham hujus Collegii alumnus et tunc per 16 an. missionarius, Vicar. Gen. in partibus Angliae Septentrionalibus.

Circa mensem Junii quamvis nondum ad Collegium venerat, missus est in vineam Anglicanam a Praeside R. D. Brian Petrus Tunstall tunc Procurator: erat autem simul cū illo alter Procurator D. Thom Brocholes Praedictus D Tunstal fuerat hic senior per annos‡ 15, primo Praefectus generalis per annos 7, Confessarius et praefectus musaei per annos circiter 5 et per duos aut 3 annos Procuratoris munere fungebatur.

Finis.

die 7 Apr. an. 1720.

\* Of the family of Barlow of Barlow Hall, Lancashire.

† Of the family of Tunstall of Scargill.

‡ These figures cannot be reconciled with the facts above given. According to the entries in the Diary Brian Tunstall was prefect for four years, confessor for eight and procurator for two. The years for the prefectship were here originally written correctly as "tres aut 4" but this is crossed out and 7 written above.

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**Diarium Collegii  
Anglorum Duaceni.  
an. 1715.**

Anno Xti 1715 die 5 februarii in locum Ex. D. Edu Paston praesidis hujus Coll. dignissimi, litteris Sac. Congreg: de Propag. fide suffectus est, D. Robertus Witham Sac. Theolog. in Universitate Duacensi Licentiatus et quondam Professor, hujus collegii alumnus, filius 7<sup>mos</sup> Georgii Witham de Cliff in comitatu Eboracensi Armigeri et Gratiae Wyvill filiae Marmad. Wyvill Equitis aurati.

Litterarum patentium (quas ipsi tradidit Illus<sup>ma</sup> Internuntius Bruxel-  
lensis Vincentius Santinus Abbas S. Jo: Baptistae) tenor hic erat.

Decretum sacrae Congregationis Generalis de Propaganda fide,  
habitae die 5<sup>ta</sup> februarii an 1715.

Referente Rdsmo D. D. Silvio de Cavalieriis Archiepo Athenarum secretario, Emntsmi Patres Praesidem Collegii Duacensis Anglorum in locum Edwardi Paston piè defuncti, D. Robertum Witham sacerdotem saecularem ad beneplacitum Sacrae Congregationis deputarunt cum omnibus oneribus, honoribus, emolumentis et privilegiis, quibus alias ejusmodi Collegii Praesides gaudere consueverunt.

Datum Romae die et an. quibus supra,

J. Cardlis Sacripantes Praefectus

J. Archiepus Athenarum Secretarius.

Praeses defunctus suâ autoritate, constituerat vicepraesidem Collegii R. D. Edwardi Dicconson hujusce Coll: alumnū, qui annis non paucis fuerat Procurator, qui litteras humaniores et Philosophiam docuerat, quique tunc temporis erat sacrae theologiae professor; illum in officio Vicepraesidis confirmavit Ex. D. Praeses.

Litteris acceptis ab Ills<sup>mo</sup> Internuncio Bruxellensi tempore Quad-  
ragesimae, Erd. D. Praeses proposuerat (uti monitus fuerat) Duacum se conferre statim a Paschate, sed variis distentis negotiis, praesertim ex munere Vic. Gen: coactus est iter suum differre.

Interea jussu et autoritate SSmi Patris Clem. 11<sup>mi</sup> litterae amplissi-  
mae scriptae a Sanctitatis, suae secretario missae sunt Duacum ad Praesidem, Convictores et alumnos collegii Anglicani, quibus ipsos ab omni suspicione malae doctrinae immunes esse et fuisse declaravit, eorumque labores et zelum plurimū commendavit. Litteras, quae imprimi deberent, hic subjungo, quas et postea imprimi curavit Praeses.\*

*Perillustres Dni.*

[p. 28]. Vix reddita fuerunt SS<sup>mo</sup> Dno nostro monumenta illa quae pro vestrâ in Apostlicam sedem observantiâ et filiali planè cultu edidistis, Constitutionem suam quae incipit *Unigenitus* purè ac simpliciter ut par erat recipiendo, cum me suo nomine scribere voluit vosque omnes magnopere laudare de vestro isto erga Stae sedis oracula prompto humilique animo, deque eâ curâ atque studio quod pro veritate ample-  
ctenda et *geritis quidem nunc et semper gessistis*.

Hortari autem etiam etiam me amantissimè vos voluit, ut post hac quoque *eodem* puritatis fidei suscipiendae propugnandaeque consilio

\* This letter is printed in Dodd. III 523, but the date is given as 27 March.



viam veritatis quam institistis, strenuè prosequi velitis, talesque, vos omni tempore praestetis, quales et Catholica religio non semel experta est et SS<sup>ms</sup> Pater qui virtutem vestram novit, vehementer fore confidit. Vobis interim, omnibus paternae suae charitatis testem, Apostolicam benedictionem impertitur: quibus ego etiam bonorum omnium cumulum precor a Deo et perpetuum incrementum.

Romae die 26<sup>ta</sup> Martii 1715.

Dominationum vestrarum ad officia paratissimus

F. Cardlis Paulutius.

D. D. Praesidi Convictoribus et

Alumnis Colleg. Anglicani (Duacum)

Hâc Eplâ SS<sup>as</sup> sua laudavit ut puram et sanam Doctrinam Collegii. Visum est hic subungere aliam Eplam quatuor abhinc annis jussu St<sup>is</sup> suae per eundem Cardlem Secretarium scriptam ad Episcopos et clerum saecularem in Angliâ, ut appareat iudicio et auctoritate Summi Pontificis tum alumnos in Collegio tum missionarios nostros in Angliâ nihil obstantibus vanis et frivolis adversariorum accusationibus, ab omni Jansenismi seu haeresis cujuscunque aut pravae doctrinae suspitione immunes fuisse declaratos.

*Illustrmi et Revrndsmi Dni.*

Etsi SS<sup>ms</sup> D. N. de perspectâ pietate ac filiali vestro in Apostlicam Sedem obsequio jamdudum praeclarè sentiebat, Pontificia tamen opinio non tantum confirmata, verum etiam aucta majorem in modum est, tum ex literis ad Enmstû D. Cardlem Caprara a vobis datas tum etiam ex duplici declaratione, alterâ scilicet die 2da febru: alterâ die 23 7bris elapsi anni a vobis editâ qua una cum vestris litteris ad Sancttem suam relata fuit: perspexit siquidem luculenter in eis constans accensumque studium quo Jansenianam haeresim detestamini, et Aplicis decretis quibus toties confixa est, adhaerere, moremque gerere profitemini. Ex utraque insuper declaratione percepit quam alacri sinceroque animo ad obstruendum ora loquentium iniqua formulario Alexandrino subscripseritis ex normâ novissimae Pontificiae Constitutionis quae incipit *vineam Dni*. Haec porro tam illustria rectae mentis sanaeque doctrinae vestrae argumenta SS<sup>mo</sup> Patri uberem in Dno gaudendi materiam attulerunt, qui propterea *vos omnes* meritis ornavit laudibus, certo sibi persuadens ab ejusmodi piis tutissimisque sensibus, qui spectatâ religione zeloque vestro maximè digni sunt, vos abducendos nunquam fore. Quod ut fœlicius vobis contingat, sua sanctitas Aplcam benedictionem, praecipuè etiam ac verè paternae quâ vos amplectitur, charitatis testem, vobis amanter elargitur. Dum ego haec Pontificio nomine ad vos perscribere jussus, Deum obsecro ut incolumes vos diu servet omnique fœlicitate florentes.

Dat. Romae die 17 feb. an. 1711.

Dominationum vestrarû ad officia paratissimus

F. Carlis Paulutius.

Illsmis et Rdsmis Dnis Bonaventurae Giffard, Episcopo Madaurensi, Jacobo Episcopo Callipolitano et Georgio, Episcopo Marcopolitano necnon eorum Vicariis Generalibus universoque Clero Regni Magnae Britanniae.

Hanc quoq. Epistolam imprimi curavit Praeses R. Witham.

[p. 29]. Eodem an 1715 Erud. D. Praeses acceptis epistolis et instructionibus Londini ab Illsmis et Rdsmis Episcopis Madaurensi et Marcopolitano, et ab aliis cleri Anglicani superioribus, profectus est Bruxellas circa finem 7bris ad Illustrissimū Internuntium Santinum, ab eo perhumaniter acceptus et dimissus, Duacum tandem pervenit in festo SS. Simonis et Judae 28 8bris die luna, febri tertianā laborans.

Sequenti die versibus de more ornata sunt ambulachra et convivium datum in Refectorio a Dno Praeside.

Cum Erud. D. Praeside ad Collegium ibidem aliquamdiu mansurus, venit R<sup>ds</sup> et Illustrm<sup>s</sup> Comes Rivers, hujus Collegii alumnus et sacerdos, qui amplissimo amisso patrimonio sibi ut haeredi relicto a praecedenti comite de Rivers sub illa iniquissimā conditione si Catholicae renuntiaret religioni, elegit abjectus remanere in domo Dei quam habitare in tabernaculis peccatorum. Omnibus hic singulare praebet exemplum diligentia suā in meditationibus aliisque Collegii exercitiis frequentandis. Fuerat cum D. Praeside apud Illustmum Internuntium Bruxellensem.

Cum illis etiam ad collegium accessit Radulphus Lamb, ut studia prosequeretur sed studiorum pertaesus intra mensem iterum discessit.

Sub mortem Ex. D. Paston, ex variis casibus bellorum, duplicis obsidionis, amissionis nummorum per edicta Regis Franciae, aere alieno, viz. circiter 40,000 florenorum, gravabatur Collegium, quod charitate et benevolentia amicorum in Angliā, et industriā vigilantissimi Procuratoris Dni Brocholes, diminutum est ante finem hujus anni ad circiter 12000 mille florenos.\*

Magistri et Professores a festo St<sup>i</sup> Remigii erant R. D. Edw. Dicconson et R. D. Richard<sup>s</sup> Kendall Theologiae Professores; posterior etiam erat Praefectus studiorum; R. D. Thom Brocholes Procurator; R. D. Emmanuel Christmass Praefectus Generalis; D. Richardus Willard (Challoner) et D. Josephus Munson (Martin) Philosophiae professores; Rhaetoricae magister R. D. Joan Cornwall; Poeseos D. Matthaeus Bear; Syntaxeos D. Thom Gibson (hic Bulmer), Gramaticae D. Clemens Scot; Rudimentorum D. Joan. Turner (hic Samuel); Confessarius, Praefectus musaei et concionator R. D. Geor. Hind.

Initio Decembris hic per dies aliquot nos invisit Ex. et sapientissimus D. Thom. Witham Dr. Sorbonicus et cognatus D. Praesidis; reversus tunc est Parisios ad Seminarium Anglicanum cujus fuerat per annos pene viginti Praeses.

Circa medium iobris eo quod ad Seminarium nostrum Parisiense profecturus erat R. D. Georgius Hind, musaei praefectus; loco illius constitutus est R. D. Thom. Gibson (Bulmer) et syntaxeos Professor Dnus Petrus Maxfield† theologus anni tertii.

Erant in fine anni hujus in collegio 82 personae praeter famulos decem. Theologi tantum sex, Philosophi primi anni 4 et secundi anni 5.

Ultimo die anni hujus in hoc Collegio mortuus est perillustis D. Thom.

\* The word *mille* here is clearly an error.

† Peter Macclesfield (see note p. 26 *sup.*).



Radcliff,\* avunculus praesentis comitis de Darwenwater qui hic olim universam Philosophiam defenderat. Solitariam hic vitam egerat orationibus intentus per duos circiter annos.

[p. 30]. Hoc anno cum non Catholici modo verum etiam pars maxima *Protestantium* quorum cultus et religio a tempore Edw 6<sup>ti</sup> legibus Angliae *stabilita* invenitur quique perpetuas contra *Presbyterianos* seu Puritanos inimicitias exercuerant, cum inquam Regni pars longe major pertaesa regiminis Georgii Electoris Hannoveriae oculos atque animos in verum legitimumque Regem suum Jacobum tertium conjicere manifeste cœperat, Illustrissimus Comes de Marr, clam se Londino subducens exercitum in Scotia congregavit, cui statim sese adjunxerunt plurimi ex nobilissimis Scotiae familiis cum vasallis suis. Contra hunc missus est Comes de Argile cum copiis veteranis, et 24 die gbris stilo novo commissum est praelium apud locum quendam Dunblain dictum, ubi victoriam satis insignem reportasse dicitur comes de Marr.

Eodem die apud Preston in comitatu Lancastriae capti sunt—Comites De Darwenwater, de Widdrington, alique nobiles multi e Scotia Northumbriâ et Lancastriâ, viz circiter mille ducenti cujusvis conditionis, qui arma coeperant pro Rege suo legitimo, seque per unum aut alterum diem fortissime defenderant, sed majori longe adversariorum numero cedere coacti sunt. Ducenti circiter ex praecipuis Londinum ducti sunt, et in varios carceres dispersi: reliqui in diversis provinciarum carceribus inclusi. Ex his erat R. D. Jacob<sup>us</sup> Midford hujus Coll. alumn<sup>us</sup> et sacerdos.

Interim Serenissimus Rex Angliae Jacobus 3<sup>tius</sup> in mediis periculis semper intrepidus, quamvis Parliamentum (ut vocant) Anglicanum turpissimam mercedem centies mille librarum monetae Anglicanae promississet cuicumque, qui illum aut captum adduceret, aut morte quovis modo afficeret, 28 die mensis Decembris Stil. nov. apud Dunkirkam naviculam incognitus conscendit cum unico comite, pro cujus salute et faelici armorum successu, psalmos quosdam selectos et preces ab omnibus simul in Ecclesiâ recitari mandavit Dn<sup>us</sup> Praeses.

Circa finem gbris litteras ad Emntsmos Cardles de Propaganda fide misit Ex. D. Praeses quibus necesse fuit ipsis gratias rependere pro honore et onere prius collato ipsosque certiores facere de adventu suo ad Collegium, ipsorumque petere protectionem.

Hoc anno circa mensem Julii litteris Er. D. Praesidis missis ad R. D. Dicconson Vicepraesidem in messem Anglicanam missus est R. D. Petrus Brianus Tunstall, Eboracensis, qui Praefecti Generalis et postea Procuratoris et confessarii munera per non paucos annos obiisset.

Finis an. 1715.

Anno 1716.

Januar.

[p. 31]. Januarii die 1<sup>mo</sup> in cubiculo D Praesidis coram R. D. Thom Brocholes et D. Richardo Challoner juramentum alumnorum juxta

\* Third son of Francis Radcliffe, first Earl of Derwentwater and Katherine dau. and coheirss of Sir William Fenwick of Meldon, Northumberland, and widow of Henry Lawson of Brough, Yorkshire. He was born 9 July 1658 and became a Colonel in the English army. In the text the title is always written *Darwenwater*.

formam ab Alexandro 7<sup>mo</sup> praescriptam praestiterunt Joan: Bishop hic Casely) filius Joan. et Judith Croker, Diocesis Exoniensis, annos natus 23 et Thomas Hawarden\* filius Joannis et Catharinae Steward, Diocesis Cestriensis an. natus 22<sup>os</sup>, ambo 2<sup>di</sup> anni Philosophi.

Die 2<sup>d</sup> Jan, post officium defunctorum et missam solemniter decantatam in sacello nostro pro animâ perillustris D. Thom. Radcliff praesente corpore, et deinceps in Ecclesiâ Parochiali Sti Jacobi corpus terrae mandatum est in Sacello B MVLauretanae prope cornu Epistolae.

Die 14. Litteras accepit Er. D. Praeses ab Exim et Sapientissimo D. Ingleton,† Regi a confessionibus, quibus certiores facti sumus de prospero Regis nostri adventu in Scotiam Adventus Jacobi. 2<sup>da</sup> die mensis hujus stil. nov. 23 decembris stil. veteri. 3 Regis in Scotiam. Quidâ qui Regem comitatus fuerat ad portum in Scotiâ, dictum Peter-head, in comitatu de Buchanness, reversus ad Stû Germanum prope Parisios, secum detulit Eplam Regis ad Reginam matrem, in quâ scripsit Rex se omnia in meliori statu in Scotia reperisse quam vel sperare poterat, quam- Erant hi falsi rumores.

Marr se properaturum ad exercitum: insuper copias comitis de Sutherland [ex imprviso *erased*], victas debellatasque fuisse a parte Exercitus comitis de Marr sub ductu Marchionis de Huntley et Comitibus de Seaford. Lecto hoc faelici nuntio a Dno Praeside statim a prandio in Refectorio, omnes simul in sacello nostro *Te Deum* et *Exaudi* recitavimus.

Circa hoc tempus Eplam ad Sacram Congregationem de Propagandâ misit D. Praeses, ut ipsis significaret juramentum praestitum fuisse a Joan: Bishop et Tho. Hawarden vide mandatum: ut fiat sub poenâ suspensionis ipso facto a divinis in Bulla Alex. 7<sup>mi</sup> an. 1660.

Litteras etiam misit ad Internuntium Bruxellensem D. Praeses gratias ipsi rependens quod tantâ humanitate quâ ipsum recepisset Bruxellis, simulque ad ipsum scripsit nuntium de prospero Regis nostri adventu in Regnum suum Scotiae.

Initio mensis hujus R. D. Georg. Hind hujus Coll. alumnus qui hic Philosophiam per annum docuerat, Praefectus musaei et confessarius fuerat, annos circiter triginta natus, profectus est Parisios ad Seminarium Anglorum ut ibidem Procuratoris munere fungatur et ad gradus in Theologia promoveatur.

Die 27 in laudê Divi Joan. Chrysostomi elegantem orationem graece in Refectorio habuit Georgius Bishop, Rhaetor, optimæ spei juvenis.

Februar. Anno 1716.

[p. 32]. Initio mensis hujus ad convivium juxta consuetudinem invitati sunt sex praecipui Anglo-Benedictini, et similiter post dies aliquot ad prandium invitati sunt sex e nostris.

\* The *Diarium Primum* gives the date of his birth as 29 July, 1693 *stil. veteri*. Mr. Gillow (*Dict.* iii, 168) says his father was younger son of John Hawarden of Fenil-street, but gives his mother's name as Mary. He was ordained in 1719. Kirk says he was V.G. to Bishop Dicconson and died in Lancashire, April, 1746.

† John Ingleton D.D., King's confessor and formerly his sub-preceptor (b. 1658, 1739). See C.R.S. xix, 106 and portrait (p. 122).



Die 20<sup>ma</sup> litteras ad Sacram Congregationem misit, D. Praeses ut iis significaret R. D. Petrū Brianū Tunstall in Anglicanā missione permansurum annos natum 42<sup>um</sup> Coll: hujus Alumnū qui fuerat Praefect<sup>us</sup> Gen., Confessarius et Procurator. Emnentsmos patres praeterea certiores fecit de discessu Rdi D. G. Hind Parisios et de intentione Dni Gualteri Lacon, Acolythi, proficiscendi in Angliam, eo quod propter infirmam valetudinem aliasque causas ineptus inveniretur ad studia prosequendū. Eplam etiam gratulatoriam misit D. Praeses ad Cardlē Gualterium Protectorem pro Rege Angliae, etsi non h[ab]uerit Protectionē Collegiorum.

Die 22<sup>da</sup> Serenissimus Angliae Rex Jacobus 3<sup>tius</sup> e Scotiā reversus prope Caletum incolumis appulit, et simul cum Rege comes de Marr et 20 plus minus duces ac nobiles cum enim exercitus Regis vix quatuor hominum millibus constaret, iisque in bello minimē Infoelix Regis e exercitatis, temerarium seu potius impossibile ab Scotia reditus. omnibus judicatum fuit cum exercitu triplo majori veteranorum militum congregi. Miraculo proximum visum est Regem nec mari nec terra captum extinctumve fuisse, spectatā praesertim tam ampla mercede iniquitatis quae sicario cuilibet promissa fuerat.

Circa idem tempus sententia turpissimae crudelissimaeque mortis lata est contra Comitem de Darwenwater, de Widdrington, de Nithisdale Catholicos et contra tres alios comites seu Barones Scotos Protestantes in magnā aulā Westmonasteriensi tanquam rebellionis et perfidiae reos. horum causa in judicio examinata non fuit, eo quod se reos esse confitebantur, seque clementiae Regis Georgii submiserunt.

In comitatu Lancastriensi complures qui cum illis pro restauratione Regis su<sup>i</sup> arma sumpserant, mortem hoc mense fortiter subierunt. *Secundum magnitudinem brachii tui (Dne) posside filios mortificatorum\** etc.

Die 27, discessit hinc Parisios ad parentes suos e rudimentis Joannes Shaw Anglus..

*Mart: an. 1716.*

Die 6<sup>ta</sup> mensis hujus stilo novo, 24<sup>to</sup> feb. stilo veteri Illustrm<sup>s</sup> Jacobus Radcliff comes de Darwenwater, vitam hanc mortalem cum immortalī, ut sperare fas est, commutavit capitis abscissione: vita ipsi oblata est non semel a ministris Georgii, modo Catholicae renuntiaret Religioni, quibus constantissimē respondit se millies potius moriturum. verē igitur martyr occubuit. Eadem die amputatum est caput Comitis de Kenmure Protestantis natione scoti et intra mensis unius spatium quinquaginta et amplius in comitatu Lancastriensi, tanquam rebellionis rei, suspendio vitam finierunt. Hi ut plurimum erant Catholici, et inferioris conditionis nobiles; inter eos erat Georgius Collingwood de Eslington Armiger in comitatu Northumbriae, qui in matrimonio duxerat filiam Comitis Montis acuti. E carcere pridie quam mortē subire deberet sub habitu comitissae suae, elapsus est

\* Ps. LXXVIII, 11.

Illustrissim<sup>s</sup> Comes de Nithisdale, qui ad hanc urbem veniens, convivio a nobis exceptus est.

[p. 33]. Die 7<sup>ma</sup> ad ordinem Subdiaconatus promotus est Dnus Clemens Scott, ad Diaconatum Dnus Richardus Challoner et Dnus Henricus Kendall, ad sacrum presbyteratus ordinem R. D. Josephus Martin filius Rogeri Martin Equitis aurati in comitatu Sussexiae Logicae Professor, Tornaci ab Illustmo et Rdsmo Joanne Ernesto\* Epo Tornacense. Primitias suas Deo obtulit die S. Gregorii Magni.

Die 28 Tornaci ab eodem Epo Diaconatum suscepit Dns Franciscus Squib (hic Petre) et sacrum presbyteratus ordinem D. Richardus Challoner (hic Willard) primarius Philosophiae professor, doctrinā et pietate (si quis alius) conspicuus. Primitias suas Deo consecravit in festo Resurrectionis Dominicae die Aprilis duodecimo.

Circa finem mensis hujus accessit huc juvenis Thomas Winkley (hic Elston)† comitatus Lancastriensis. [*In margin* Accessit die 1 April].

Hoc mense Lovanium ad moniales‡ missus est R. D. Joan Melling ut esset socius Confessarii.

*April: an. 1716.*

Die 3<sup>ta</sup> nobilis Dnus Rogerus Dicconson§ ex Anglia huc advenit invisurus per aliquot dies fratrem suum D. Vicepraesidem et filium suum unicum hic in Grammaticā optimae indolis juvenem.

Die 5<sup>ta</sup> R. D. Simon Berrington confessarius monialium Anglarum Lovanii venit ad Collegium brevi tempore hic mansurus, animo reverendi, si possit, ad praedictas moniales.

Die 11<sup>ma</sup> ab horā noctis decimā ad mediam noctem apparuit versus boreales aeris partes, inusitata plane luminis et ignis species, crebro ignis radios e nube emittens, ejusdem generis portentū visum fuerat in Angliā Hollandiā et Flandriā per totam ferē noctem inter diem 17<sup>ma</sup> et decimam 8<sup>am</sup> mensis praecedentis.

Die 23 S. Georgio sacro. juramentum alumnorum juxta formā ab Alexand. 7 praescriptam in sacello nostri Collegii coram Praeside R Dnis Richardo Kendall et Richardo Challoner sumpserunt Georgius Bishop|| ex familia de Brailles diocesis Wigorniensis natus an 1695 die 23 April et Jacobus Gandy (hic Leyburn)¶ diocesis Carleolensis natus an 1698, prior Rhaeticae, posterior Poesi operam dat.

\* Johann Ernst von Löwenstein-Wertheim, Bishop of Tournai, 1714-1731.

† Eldest son of Edward Winkley of Banister Hall, Walton-le-Dale, Lancs. and Mary his first wife. After ordination in 1727 he became convent chaplain at Dunkirk where he died 9 March, 1740.

‡ The Augustinian Canonesses of St. Morica's.

§ Dr. Dicconson's elder brother William, had been outlawed for high treason under William III and most of his estate forfeited, but some part of it had been settled on this younger brother Roger who lived at Wrightington. Gillow, *Dict.* ii, 57.

|| His father was Francis Bishop, of Brailles. He afterwards studied at St. Gregory's, Paris, but did not take his degree. His Missionary life was spent at Bralles, Irnham, Harvington Hall and he finally became chaplain to the Hussey Family at Nash Court, near Marnhull, Dorsetshire, where he died 16 Aug., 1768. He was Grand Vicar to Bishop Stonor and also a Capitular. See C.R.S. xvii, 367 and xix, 123.

¶ Son of William Gandy of Betham, Westmoreland, gent., and Eleanor his wife. He was missionary at Robert Hall, Lancs. and afterwards at Kendal. He became a capitular in 1743 and died at Kendal 4 Sept., 1761.



Circa finem hujus mensis in Anglicanam missionem profectus est Rd<sup>s</sup> et Sapiens Dnus Robertus Carnaby hujus Collegii alumnus qui Parisiis Doctoralem lauream adeptus est, et in Seminario nostro Anglicano aliquandiu Procurator fuerat.

Die April 21 discessit e Collegio et Insulas profectus est nobilis adolescens Joan. Swinburn\* eques auratus, et cum eo R. D. Thomas Gibson hic Bulmer qui vice tutoris fungeretur.

May, 1716.

[p. 34]. Die 5 ad. Collegium ex Angliâ accesserunt quatuor nobiles, unicus filius comitis Fingall Justinus Plunkett hic Butler† et tres filii Joannis Hales Baroneti‡ viz Jacobus Hales hic Bagnoll annos natus undecim, adiit 1<sup>us</sup> Rudiment. classē, Alexander annorum fere sex, et Philippus annorum 5, qui ne alphabetū quidem norunt.

Die 16<sup>to</sup> e collegio dimissus fuit Augustinus Langhorn ob insignem et scandalosam vitae turpitudinem.

Die 18 discessit Antonius Carew, nobilis, bonae spei juvenis.

Die 25 hujus mensis e collegio dimissus est Magister Hugo Haydock Acolythus.

Die 28 Hujus mensis Lovanium profectus est Dnus Praeses de consilio Rdsmi Epi Madaurensis et hortatu Rdæ matris superioris Conventus Stae Monicæ Religiosarum Angarum ordinis S. Augustini ut suppleret vices Confessarii donec ipsis providere possemus alterum confessarium loco Dni Simonis Berrington qui ipsas ex abrupto deseruisset et ad ipsas redire ab Archiepo Mechliniensi non est permissus.

Die 30 hujus mensis ad Collegium venit praedictus Dn<sup>s</sup> Simon Berrington, qui post aliquot dierum moram et Spirituale exercitium in Angliam missus est a Dno Praeside.

June, an 1716.

Die 6<sup>to</sup> hujus mensis sabbato 4 Temporum Pentecostes Cameraci ad Subdiaconatum promotus est magister Joan. Dun, Northumbriensis, ad Diaconatum Dnus Clemens Scot et Dnus Petrus Maxfield, ad presbyteratum Dnus Henricus Kendall et Dnus Franciscus Squib (hic Petre).

Die 14 hujus mensis reversus est ex Anglia recuperata valetudine magister Nicholas Skelton acolythus, et cum eo ad collegium accesserunt

\* Sir John Swinburne, bart., born in 1698, eldest son of Sir William Swinburne of Swinburne Castle, Northumberland, and Mary, dau. of Anthony Englefield, Esq., of White Knights, Berkshire. He succeeded to the title on 17 April, 1716, on his father's death which doubtless caused his departure from the College here recorded. Three years later he married Mary only dau. of Henry Bedingfeld, Esq. He died Jan., 1745, leaving a large family.

† Justin Plunkett afterwards 5th earl of Fingall, only son of Peter, 4th Earl and Frances, third dau. of Sir Edward Hales, Bart. He succeeded to the title 24 Jan, 1717 and in 1731 married Mary, dau. of Maurice Fitzgerald, Esq., of Castle Ishen. He died without issue in 1733.

‡ These boys were the sons of Sir John Hales of Woodchurch 4th Bart. and his second wife Helen dau. of Dudley Bagnal, Esq., of Newry. They were first cousins to Justin Plunkett just mentioned. James became an officer in the Emperor's service and was killed in Italy in 1735, Alexander and Philip aged respectively nearly six and five are the youngest boys recorded to have entered the College as students.

frater ipsius Josephus Skelton, Richardus et Joannes Maire\* et Georgius Towneley† nobiles juvenes qui rudimentis operam dant.

Hoc mense Lovanii epistolam recepit D. Praeses a Rdssmo et Excelltismo Archiepo Mechliniensi quā perhumaniter promisit se approbaturum et concessurum confessarium e nostro collegio Duaceno Monialibus Anglis Lovanii modo facto examine idoneus reperiretur.

Die 30 Junii in Angliam profectus est Fran. Johnson.

Die 26 hor. mat. Logicam propugnabant Praesid. R. D. Josepho Martin (hic Munson) Jacobus Maxwell, Edward<sup>s</sup> Barlow.

Ead. die hor. pom. Michael Tueny, Fran. Johnson.

*Julii Ann 1716.*

[p. 35]. Die 6<sup>to</sup> mensis discessit nobilis juvenis Ricardus Bishop de Brailes e logica.

Die 3 Accessit ex Anglia R. D. Laur Briers ut esset Confessarius et Praefectus musaei et cum eo venit expertissimus musicae magister Dnus Morelli ut musicam hic doceret, jam a viginti annis hic interruptam. Admissus est ad mensam seniorum.

Die 20 Julii discessit seu potius dimissus est Georgius Potts Northumbriensis.

Die 11 huc accessit Thomas Atkinson Eboracensis ex Anglia.

Die 18 accesserunt ex Anglia Thomas Chester, Edwardus Petre‡ ex familia de Belhouses et Philippus Harper alias Strickland.

Die 28 In Angliam discessit Brianus Palmes§ nobilis cum Rdo Simpson|| presbytero Collegii Vallosoletani qui duobus circiter mensibus hic manserat. Cum illis in Angliam profectus est Sap. Dnus Rob. Carnaby Doctor Parisiensis, alumnus hujus Collegii, qui nuper a dno Praeside in Angliam missus fuerat.

Die 13 Phi[losophi]am universam sub R. D. Richardo Challoner Philosophiae professore primario propugnabat latine et graece mane Franciscus Petre, horis pomeridianis Joan. Betts; sequenti die mane Joannes Bishop hic Caseley.

Die 11 et die 21 duos Actus quibus constitutus est sacr. Theol. Bac-

\* Richard and John Maire were the third and fifth sons respectively of Thomas Maire of Hardwick, co. Durham and Lartington, Yorkshire, Esq., and Mary daughter of Richard Fermor, Esq., of Tusmore, Oxfordshire. Richard died at Douay in 1722; John succeeded his brother Thomas in the family estates 25 Dec., 1762, but though he was twice married (1st to Margaret dau. of Charles Lowe, Esq., of Old Graves, Derbyshire; 2nd Mary widow of Thomas Wood, Esq., of Brayton and dau. of Henry Bedingfeld of Coulsey Wood, Suffolk) he left no children. On his death the estates passed to the Lawsons and subsequently to the Silvertops.

† Fourth son of Charles Towneley of Towneley, Lancs., Esq., and Ursula, dau. of Richard Fermor, of Tusmore, Oxfordshire, Esq. George, who was born in 1706, was thus first cousin on his mother's side to Richard and John Maire, whom he accompanied to College. He married Mary daughter of Albert Hodgson of Leighton Hall and widow of Ralph Standish. He died 1786.

‡ Fourth son of William Petre of Bellhouse, Essex and Penelope, dau. of John Wolfe of Great Hazeley, Oxfordshire. Born 16 July, 1705.

§ Eldest son of George Palmes, Esq., of Naburn and Ann, dau., of George Witham of Cliffe. He married Miss Scarisbrick, but died without issue before his father.

|| John Simpson, ordained at Valladolid, came on the mission about 1687. Laboured at Quousque and afterwards at Newhouse near Esk, Durham, where he died 29 Jan., 1726. [As to Quousque, vide C.R.S. ix, 109].



calaureus cum summo applausu praestitit R. D. Josephus Martinus Phi[losophi]æ Professor.

Aug 1716.

Die 8. In Angliam sponte discessit magister Gualterus Lacon Acolythus et alumnus hujus collegii per juramentum praesitū die 3 gbris an 1711. Se ad studia ineptum declaravit nec posse salvā conscientia hic diutius permanere.

Die 14. Huc reversus est Erud. D. Praeses postquam reliquerat Lovanii duos confessarios hujus Collegii alumnos, viz. R. D. Gilbertū Haydock cum quo fuerat Mechliniæ ut ipsum praesentaret ad examen, et R. D. Joan Melling Socium et similiter Confessarium approbatum pro conventu Stae Monicae.

Dum esset Lovanii Dn<sup>s</sup> Praeses bis invisit Excellentia suam Illustmū et Rdssmū Internuntium Bruxellensem Vincentiū Santinum ut eum consuleret de rebus ad missionem Anglicanā et ad Collegium spectantibus. Et quidem ipsi imprimis exposuit juramentum quoddam submissionis quod Catholici quidam obtulerant Regi Georgio et ministris ejus, inconsulto Epo Madaurensi aliisve superioribus Cleri Saecularis et Regularis. Tenor autē hujusmodi juramenti hic erat. Ego N. N. juro promittoque veram et ominodam submissionem Regi Georgio, meque nihil facturum contra Regiam suā majestatem [p. 36] aut praesentes regni administratores, insuper me neque directē nec indirecte ullam praebiturum assistentiam cuiquam ad hoc Rgm praetendenti. Et praeterea declaro me detestari abominandam illam notionem quasi penes Papam esset dispensari cum hujusmodi juramentis Principibus solemniter praestitis, aut Papam posse dare licentiam et potestatem Reges deponendosque occidendi. Cum hanc ultimam clausulam legerem Internuntio: suntne, inquit, Catholici qui hoc dixerunt? Notum feci Illustmo Internuntio hoc juramentū oblatum fuisse sine notitia Epi Madaurensis, qui hujus generis juramenta nunquā approbaverat et qui ea nullius momenti fore semper judicaverat. Idipsū Ego prius scripseram ad Internuntium verisimile non esse Parliamentum Anglicanum contentum iri juramentis a nobis fabricatis. Interim Illustms et Rdsm Joan. Stonorius Epus Thespiensis Vicar. Aplcus et amicus ipsius Thom. Stricklandus\* Doctor Parisiensis, valde occupati fuerant per aliquod tempus in formandis hujusmodi tenoris juramentis, quibus avertere praetendebant severissimam contra Catholicos persecutionem qua minabantur Protestantes se duas tertias partes bonorum ab omnibus Catholicis ablaturus.

Cum vero Catholici nonnulli consulerent Epū Madaurensē an liceret ipsis praedictum juramentum suscipere, statim convocavit superiores Saecularium et Regularium Epus Madaurensis. Aduerunt cum nostris R. Pater Blake† pro patribus Societatis et Rd<sup>s</sup> Pater Thom Howard‡ pro

\* Thomas Strickland, afterwards Bishop of Namur, 1727-1740. Fourth son of Sir Thomas Strickland, knight-banneret of Sizergh, Westmoreland by his second wife Winifred, dau. of Sir Christopher Trentham. See *Gillow Dict.* v, 533 and *D.N.B.* lv.

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† Fr. James Blake, s.J. See Foley, *Records*, S.J., vii, 64.

‡ D. Thomas Augustine Howard O.S.B. (1644-1718). See Birt, *Obit. Book of the English Benedictines*, 78.

Benedictinis. Habita hac de re deliberatione, consenserunt omnes (exceptis Franciscanis qui se excusari petebant eo quod pauci essent)

consenserunt, inquam, non in praedictum juramentum, sed in aliud sequentis formae viz.

Juramentum aliud offerendum a Catholicis cum approbatione Epi Madaurensis omniumque Superiorum cleri saecularis et Regularis Londini exceptis Franciscanis

Juro et promitto veram et omnimodam submissionem Regi Georgio, meque nihil facturum quod perturbare possit pacem et tranquillitatem Regni, et insuper declaro me neque petiturum neque acceptaturum ullam dispensationem ab hoc juramento. Utriusque juramenti formulam in scriptis dedi Internuntio Bruxellensi.

Interea nihil profecerunt Catholici offerendo haec juramenta nec poterant impedire quominus Parliamentum bina contra Catholicos decreta stabilirent; viz 1<sup>mo</sup> debere omnes Catholicos sub juramento declarare valorem bonorum suorum 2<sup>do</sup> nominati sunt tredecim commissarii quibus mandatum est ut scrutarentur et

Decreta contra Catholicos,

inquirerent quanti valoris essent bona et patrimonia omnium Catholicorum ut [p. 37] cognito valore possent ab ipsis auferre duas 3<sup>tas</sup> partes omnium

quae possiderent. Nihil igitur ut videtur hoc tempore, nisi specialis divina providentia poterit Catholicos a ruina liberare. *Dne, ad te sunt oculi nostri ne pereamus.*

Aliud erat gravissimi momenti negotium de quo consulendus mihi videbatur Illustm<sup>s</sup> Internuntius. Anno proxime elapso in locum Rdssmi et Illustm<sup>s</sup> Epi Jacobi Smith Episcopi Callipolitani\* electus fuerat et constitutus Vicar. Aplcus Joan Talbot Stoner alumnus hujus collegii et Doctor Parisiensis ex nobili familia, et nuper consecratus fuerat Epus titulo Thespiensis. Huic mense Aprilis per specialem Bullam concessa fuit jurisdictio in omnibus locis subjectis Epo Madaurensi *durante defectu, absentia, aut impedimento ejusdem*

*Madaurensis et non alias.* Non erat difficile conjicere Breve hoc obtentum fuisse artibus et falsis suggestionibus Doctoris Stricklandi. Erat hic juvenis Doctor ingenio praeditus acerrimo faelicissimam memoria, miram linguam praesertim Gallicae volubilitate inter conversandum omnes in sui admirationem trahebat: diceret hominem scire omnia scripta patrum, omnes omnino historiae et Theologiae difficultates, in omnibus praesentis temporis controversiis versatissimum, in rebus politicis perspicacissimum, ipsumque non minus omnes magni nominis personas quam res et scripta cognoscere [verum *here four lines are erased*]. Multos a duobus annis deceperat et inter alios Internuntium Bruxellensem. Et primo quidem una cum Dno Talbot Stoner (nondum Episcopo) et D Gerardo Saltmarsh† accusaverat Epis-

Bulla qua ipsi collata erat jurisdictio in locis subjectis Epo Madaurensi in casu defectus et absentiae clanculum a D. Stricklando obtentam

verus Doctori Stricklandi character.

\* Strictly speaking Bishop Stonor succeeded Bishop George Witham who was transferred to the Northern District, to fill the vacancy then caused by the death of Bishop Smith (see Brady, *Episcopal Succession*, iii, 206).

† Son of Edward Saltmarsh of Saltmarsh, Yorkshire, Esq., and Eleanor, dau. of William Ireland of Nostell Priory, Esq. Born 1651; died 1733. See Gillow, *Dict.* v, 471.



copum Madaurenssem tanquam prae aetate ineptum ad munera pastoralia aut saltem desidiosum et negligentem: sub hoc praetextu petebant Coadjutorem, et Stricklandus amicum suum Stonerum ad munus hoc prae omnibus maxime idoneum praesentaverat. Quamprimum hoc auditum est a nostris, omnes continuo iustâ indignatione commoti, de gravissima injuriâ factâ optimo Patri et Praesuli dignissimo acriter conquesti sunt. Licet enim Illustm<sup>s</sup> et Rdsm<sup>s</sup> Epus Madaurensis annum tunc aetatis septuagesimum attigerat, fruebatur tamen menti sanâ in corpore satis sano, nihil de pristinis laboribus in missione omiserat frequentissime praedicabat, literas sua manu scribebat, sacramenta administrabat, duos praecipuos Angliae districtus, Australem scilicet et Borealem, solita suâ prudentia, et zelo ad omnium aedificationem administrabat, quare mense 7bri proxime elapso antequam partes Septentrionales reliqui scripsi et signavi tanquam Vic: tunc Generalis cum aliis praecipuis quibusdam de clero amplum testimonium, quo testati sumus nullum nos defectum in optimo nostro patre et pastore deprehendisse, sed e contra per frequentes literas quibus nos consolabatur et dirigebat, consuetam in eo prudentiam et animi vigorem nos notasse, ad ipsum in gravissimis difficultatibus nos etiamnũ confugere; denique ab illius monitis et instructionibus tam clericos quam Laicos cum integrâ fiduciâ pendere: summâ igitur ipse injuriam per Stricklandum et alios duos irrogatam conquesti sumus. Hanc Epistolâ cum [p. 38], alterâ similis formae et tenoris datâ et signatâ Londini a Venerabili Capituli Angl. Decano Saptms D. D. Sim Rider aliisque praecipuis cleri nostri sacerdotibus tradidi Illustmo Dno Santino Bruxellis circa 20<sup>ma</sup> diem mensis 8 bris. ultimo elapsi, factâ quadam apologiâ quod in illis nonnulla satis acriter scripta essent non solum adversus Stricklandum sed etiam adversum Illstmũ Stonerium quem electum in Epũ tunc temporis non cognoveramus. De hisce querimoniis (uti postea intellexi) Inter-nuntius certiore fecit Sacr. Congreg. de propag fide.

Quibusmodi  
Strickland<sup>s</sup> clan-  
culum obtinuerit  
Breve quod ab ipso  
et aliis appellatum  
est *Breve Inspec-  
tionis*.

Igitur Stricklandus cum post litteras nostras Internuntium haud facile decipiendum videret, ad alios qui Romae plurimum pollebant se convertit. R. Patrum Tellier et Galliard Jesuitarũ Gallicanorum, gratiam captare coepit, horum commendatione Em-tssmi Cardlis de Bissy favorem nactus est, et eo mediantead Cardlem Fabronium per litteras accessum reperit. Nihil fere erat quod a Sua Sanctitate obtinere non poterat Emn: Card. Fabronius; mitram absque dubiõ expectabat Stricklandus: hinc etiam in habitu Episcopali se pingi curaverat et hanc vanissimam sui imaginem dederat cuidam religiosae Lovanii in signum amicitiae. Haec pictura hoc tempore est in monasterio Anglarum Lovanii, illam se vidisse testata est mihi superior illius monasterii, alique ibidem testes fide dignissimi. Sed ut hominem cum suâ imagine relinquamus et clandestinos ipsius conatus paucis aperiamus. Gloria-batur interdum se daturum Coadjutorem Episcopo Madaurensi etiam

Sacerdotes con-  
queruntur de  
inuriâ irrogatâ  
Epo Madaurensi et  
merito.

ipso repugnante, et Summam Pontificem hoc facturum proprio motu. variae missae sunt litterae ad Procuratorem nostrum Romae agentem D. Lau. Mayes a me et ab aliis de nostris ut attentè vigilaret et conatibus Stricklandi obsisteret. Adiiit super hoc negotio Card. Secretarium de Propag. fide Dnus Mayes a quo non semel responsionem accepit, Sacram Congregationem nunquam assignaturam Coadjutorem contra mentem Epi Madaurensis, cum Canones id fieri vetent nisi annuente et postulante Epo.

Caeterum circa finem mensis Aprilis missum est Breve ad Illstm Internuntium Bruxellensem quo Pontifex, ut dicitur, de consilio *quorundam* Cardium super rebus Angliae *specialiter deputatorum* confert Joanni Episcopo Thespiensi jurisdictionem in omnibus locis subjectis Jurisdictioni Episcopi Madaurensis durante *defectu, absentia et impedimento* dicti Madaurensis. Hoc Breve ad me missum est a Secretario Internuntii Bruxellensis ut illud in Angliam transmitterem ad Episcopum Thespiensem, Mandatis ipsius obtemperavi, simul tamen necessarium duxi certiore hac de re facere Episcopum Madaurensis mihi semper amicissimum, et ipsum vehementius rogavi ut rem aliquantisper celaret, quod revera praestitit.

Sed suo more statim gloriari coepit Stricklandus operâ suâ obtentum fuisse praedictum Breve quod ipse nominare coepit *Breve Inspectionis* tanquam per illud Illustms Stonerus constitutus fuisset *inspector* Episcopi Madaurensis et ipsius districtus, ubi pro libitu suo jurisdictionem poterat exercere. statim ubique coepit novum Breve appellari hoc nomine. Illustm<sup>s</sup> Stonerus in litteris ad me datis ita illud appellavit; sic vocabatur in Angliâ quemadmodum in variis ad me epistolis conquestus est Rdsmus Madaurensis. Cum igitur [p. 39] me ad prandium invitasset Internuntius occasionem nactus sum ab illo petendi, num Breve de quo sermo est recte appellari posset Breve Inspectionis. excanduit protinus: et quis, inquit, hoc nomen illi dedit? Respondi Stricklandum, ni fallar ita illud baptizasse, sed jam a pluribus aliis et ab Illssmo Stonerio eodem illud nomine insigniri. Ultrò promisit Illustm<sup>s</sup> Internuntius se in scriptis declaraturum quam immerito diceretur Breve Inspectionis et quam turpiter hallucinarentur qui putarent ullam superiorem jurisdictionem per dictum Breve collatam fuisse Episcopo Stonerio.

Hoc ipsum paucos post dies praestitit Internuntius litteris ad me datis die 16 Aug. an 1716 idiomate Gallicano, viz. que cêstoit avec beaucoup de peine qu'il entendoit que quelquns donnoient a ce Bref le nom de Bref *Inspectionis* dans la crainte qu' on pourroit supponner qu'un pouvoir superieur a monsr de Madaura etoit donné a mnsr de Stoner que rein n'etoit plus contraire a l'intention de sa saintete etc. Exemplar hujus Epistolae statim misi ad Episcopos Madaurensis et Thespiensem et ad superiores in Angliâ, ad conservandam pacem et unionem tam in clero quam in populo. Nihil enim nisi

August 1716. Internuntius Bruxellensis declarat praedictum Breve perperam appellari Breve *Inspectionis* nullam inspectionem concessam esse Epo Thespiensi Nota per aliâ Bullâ districtum Boreale assignatū fuisse Epo Marcopolitan et medium Districtum Epo Thespiensi.



dissidia et dissensiones expectare poteramus, si Episcopus Thespiensis ullam praetenderet exercere jurisdictionem in districtu Epi Madaurensis absque ipsius consensu.

Tertium erat negotium, quod hic breviter commemorare non abs re erit, de quo consulendum esse Internuntium necessarium judicavi. Deputati fuerunt autoritate Regis Galliae tres Commissarii viz. Amplissim<sup>s</sup> Dns de Bernières, Regis a consiliis, supremus Flandriae Gubernator, R.D. de la Croix, Ecclesiae Atrebatensis magnus Praepositus et Vic. Generalis, et Dns. Granval consiliarius Consilii Provinciae Atrebatensis, qui visitarent Universitatem Duacensem, examinarent et corrigerent omnes abusus in dictâ Universitate, et in singulis collegiis Seminariis, tum quoad modum docendi, tum quoad temporaliū administrationem etc. Cum vero nostrum hoc Collegiū sit immediatē subjectum Summo Pontifici et exemptum a potestate ordinarii, aequum erat ut scirem et inquirerem mentem Internuntii Apostolici.

Ostendi 33 Quaestiones quas mihi ut Praesidi Collegii proposuerant Commissarii Regii, et quibus distinctam responsionem exigebant a superioribus omnium collegiorum intra 15 dies. Haerebat dubius Internuntius quodnam mihi hāc in re daret consilium; invitavit me ut die sequenti cum illo pranderem. Consensi, veni, nullam tamen ab ipso potui obtinere responsionem; dixit se hac de re ad me scripturum Duacū. Scripsit quidem Epistolam de Brevi supra memorato, sed nullum dedit hāc de re consilium. Cum superioribus igitur Collegii tractanda res erat. Duo erant exempla quae nos ad respondendum suadebant primum quod an. 1702 in simili visitatione per Commissarios Regis, praedecessor meus Ex. Dns Paston responsionē suam dederat quam nobis manu suā signatam exhibebant hi Commissarii. 2<sup>dum</sup> quod an 1710 cum Dns Delcourt et Dns de Mark deputati fuerant a Rege Galliae ut inquirerent in doctrinam nostri Collegii, Internuntius Bruxellensis nobis respondendū [p. 40] esse affirmaverat omnino hic hoc tempore ad singula respondendū esse duximus. Mandatum Regis Quaestiones et responsiones (quae hic exscribere nimis longum foret) cum aliis manuscriptis servanda reposui.

Die 18 discessit hinc in Angliam Joan. Blewet e syntaxi.

Die 22 venit huc Nobilis Dnus Porter\* cum tutore suo Dno Preston Coll. Ulyssiponensis sacerdote. 4 alios fratres habet hic Dns Porter, qui duob<sup>s</sup> abhinc annis philosophiam suam hic propugnarat.

Circa finem mensis discessit Joan. Howes hic Turner.

Die ultmo mensis Collegium nostrum viz. Capellam Scholam Theologorum Refectorium, hortum, Bibliothecam visitorunt Regis Commissarii D. de la Croix et Dn<sup>s</sup> Grandvall. Nihil reprehenderunt quin potius omnia laudaverunt. Ipsi praesentavimus petitionem ut Regiā

\* John Porter, eldest son of George Porter, of the Manor of Alfarthing, Wandsworth, Vice-chamberlain to Queen Catherine of Braganza, and grandson of the famous Endymion Porter, Groom of the Bedchamber to King Charles I. George married Mary daughter of John Mawson, Esq., by whom he had five sons, John here mentioned and James, Endymion, Alberic and Richard, who are the four brothers referred to in the text. Endymion and Alberic left the College in 1719; the former subsequently married Mary dau. of Bryan Maguire, Esq., of Kilkenny. James held defenses in philosophy in 1719 and 1720. Richard left in 1722.

authoritate revocari curarent Statutum Universitatis an 1707 quo contra jus et consuetudinem ab ipsis Universitatis primordiis, nostri Collegii Professoribus denegata fuerat licentia concurrenti pro lectionibus publicis.

7ber. an 1716.

1mo die Angliam versus profectus est D. Porter et D. Preston; illos ad villam nostram de Coutich seu de la Croix comitatus est D. Praeses cum nonnullis aliis.

Die 4to nos in transitu invisit D. Doctor Thom. Stricklandus.

Eodem die petitionem nostram signatam a Regiis commissariis misimus (prout ipsi mandarunt) ad Rectorem magnificum et Consilium Universitatis a quibus Commissarii exigebant responsum intra tres dies.

Tempore vacantiarum apud nos per dies aliquot manserunt D. Petrus Giffard, D. Christop. Metcalf medicus, et cum eo D. Brown alias Pepper sacerdos hibernicus, qui Comiti de Darwenwater sacramenta ante ultimum agonem administraverat.

Facultas Theologica (quae tribus constabat doctoribus Jesuitarum partibus penitus addictis, viz. D. Delcourt, de Marc et Amand) petitioni nostrae modestae responsionem contumeliosam et injuriarum plenam dedit. Illis vero novam responsionem seu replicam dedimus iterum signatam a Commissariis. Harum copiam in scrinio nostro reperire licet.

Interea D. Delcourt scripsit ad Internuntium Bruxellensem ipsique persuadere conatus est exercitium lectionis publicae repugnare obligationi quâ ad missionem Anglicanam astringimur: accepta hac de re epistola ab Internuntio Aplco, statim ad ipsum rescripsit D. Praeses, praedecessorum afferens exempla viz. Cardlis Alani, Doctoris Stapletoni, Hydae etc. ostendens professores dum hic manent posse docere in Universitate, et quod ad Praesidem attinet qui officio illo durante vita solet fungi, rationem illam nullius planè esse momenti etc.

Circa finem hujus mensis huc accessit Josephus Betts.\*

Die 27 discessit Carolus More Lincolnensis.

8br Anno 1716.

[p. 41] 1<sup>ma</sup> die mensis hujus Missam de Spiritu Sto pro faelici Scholarum inchoatione cantavit Er. D. Praeses et die sequenti viz. die veneris breves orationes in singulis litterarum humaniorum Scholis habuit.

Hoc anno Theologiae Professores erant D. Edw. Dicconson Vicepraeses, D. Richardus Kendall, Studiorum quoque Praefectus. Praefectus musaei et Confessarius D. Laurentius Breers. Procurator D. Thom. Brocholes. Praefectus Generalis D. Emman. Christmas. Philosophiae Professores D. Richard\*Challoner (hic Willard), D. Josephus Martin (hic Munson); Rhoeticae D. Matthaeus Beare, Poesios D. Henricus Kendall, Syntaxis D. Clem. Scot. Gram. D. Thom. Gibson (hic Bulmer), Rudimentorum D. Joan. Cornwall.—Theologi novem, Philosophi 1<sup>mi</sup> anni tres, 2<sup>di</sup> anni sex, Rhaetores septē, Poetae novem,

\* Son of James Betts and Frances dau. of Serjeant Trinder of Berry Court near Bentley, Hants. He died a student at Douay; his brother John Philip became a priest and his three sisters, nuns. After his mother's death his father became a Carthusian and died Prior of Nieuport, 31 Oct., 1729.



Syntaxiani duodecim, Grammatici undecim. In rudimentis viginti; famuli decem, cum Praeside et magistro musicae personae in Collegio omnino 101.

5<sup>ta</sup> die mensis hujus Parisios profectus est E. D. Praeses tum ut Reginae nostrae obedientiam praestaret, tum etiam ut rationes suppeteret et examinaret Seminarii nostri Anglicani, cujus Provisor in temporalibus semper est Praeses Coll. hujus Duaceni.

Ad collegium hoc mense accesserunt tres juvenes rudimentis operam daturi viz. Philip<sup>s</sup> Constable, Joannes Hills, Edward<sup>s</sup> Mullineux.

Discessit Ricard<sup>s</sup> Carvill. Item circa initium mensis cum Dno Praeside discessit Gulielm<sup>s</sup> Andrews hic Clifton,\* filius Francisci Andrews Equitis aurati.

9<sup>ber</sup> Ann. 1716.

Die 19<sup>na</sup> Parisiis huc reversus est D. Praeses.

Die 22. Sacrum solemne in festo S. Caeciliae cantabat de more D. Praeses et cum musicis non paucis. Musicae enim usum de consilio amicorum in Anglia, jam a quatuor mensibus renovare coeperamus.

Die 23. Discessit Ni. Fazakerley Lancastriensis.

Die 29. Epistolam a sacra Congreg. de Propaganda recepit D. Praeses perhumaniter illum admonens ut exemplo Praedecessoris sui frequentes ad Sacram Congregationem mitteret litteras. Ad eandem Congregationem statim rescripsit, et arrepta illa occasione certiore fecit Congregationem Episcopum Madauremsem, licet 72 annorum adhuc cum vigore et zelo officia pastoralia praestare, licet ipsum ut negligentem aut saltem prae aetate idoneum representasset juvenis Dr. Parisnsis (scilicet Dn<sup>s</sup> Strickland<sup>s</sup>).

Decem. Ann. 1716.

[p. 42] Die 1<sup>ma</sup> Epistolam ad Internuntiū Bruxellensem a fratre suo Episcopo Marcopolitano misit Dns Praeses quā rogabat dictus Episcopus ut autoritate sua moneret Praesides et Rectores Collegiorum ne quonpiam in missionem e collegiis mitterent nisi accurato prius habito examine illos idoneos reperirent, idque litteris suis ad Episcopos semper testarentur.

Circa initium mensis hujus recepit Epistolam Dns Praeses ab Episcopo Madaurensi quā significabatur Internuntium Bruxellensem per

Juramentū fidelitatis et integrae obedientiae praestari potest a Catholicis Regi Georgio contra Regē Jacobu juxta epistolam Internuntii Brux.	Ducem de Norfolcia Epistolam misisse ad dictum Episcopum Madauremsem in quā declarabat sibi Romā demandatum esse ut omnibus palam faceret Catholicos in Angliā <i>fidei atque integrae obedientiae</i> professione posse atque adeo debere praesentem regni statum agnoscere: nullam vero sacrae Rom: Pontificū auctoritatis injiciendam esse mentionem.
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Die 15 Epistolam de eadem re gallice scriptam ab eodem Internuntio Dno Santino recepit Dns Praeses, unā cum copiā Epistolae a se missae ad Illustm Episcopum Thespiensem: inter alia sic scribit, "comme les declarations et les ordres qui "feront la matière de cette lettre m'ont este envoyees ensuite de ce

\* Son of Sir Francis Andrews, Bart., of Denton Hall, Northamptonshire, and Bridget dau. of Sir Thomas Clifton of Lytham, Bart. He succeeded to the baronetcy on 3 April, 1759, and lived to extreme old age, dying without issue, in 1804, when the baronetcy became extinct.

"que j'avois mandé sur la lettre que vous m'avez écrit de Paris peu de jours avant votre départ, on les pourra considerer comme si elles étoient une reponse a votre memoir même cy dessus mentionné puis-que le contenu de celui cy et de votre suditte lettre de Paris est a peu pres le même."

Ex his apparet Episcopum Thespiensem petiisse ab Internuntio ut Romam scriberet et obtineret declarationem, et permissionem infra scriptam viz.: "On m'ordonne donc de vous signifier que pour autant que les formules projetées contiennent une obligation accompagnée de serment d'une entière obéissance et fidélité, avec déclaration de ne rien faire ni directement ni indirectement contre la présente constitution du Royaume, non seulement on est d'avis qu'elles soient permises et licites mais il paroît même qu'on est persuadé que ceux à qui on le demande, y sont positivement obligés, puisqu'on m'allègue à ce propos les passages de S. Pierre et S. Paul qui nous prescrivent l'obéissance aux souverains." Haec Internuntius in Epistola sua ad Episcopum Thespiensem postea gravissime conqueritur de additione facta a nonnullis Catholicis quae negabant Summum Pontificem posse dispensare in juramentis solemniter praestitis Principibus aut Papam non posse illos deponere etc.

Idem Internuntius in Epistola sua eodem tempore datâ ad dñm Praesidem dicit illam additionem continere "des expressions detestables, et qu'on ne peut pas accorder avec la religion," etc.

Cum vero Episcopus Madaurensis et alii complures praeviderent gravia incommoda et dissidia quae non possent non oriri ex publicatione praedictae declarationis, expectandum tantisper arbitrabantur donec SS<sup>tes</sup> sua plenius et melius informaretur. hoc audito graviter commotus est Internuntius Bruxell: ut videre est ex his verbis in sua ad Dñm Praesidem Eplâ "Je viens justement de recevoir une lettre de Monsgr de Thespie dans laquelle il me mande qu'il prévoit que plusieurs se mettent de raisonner là dessus, et peut être souhaiteront un plus grand détail. C'est ce que Je ne scauvis faire certainement: et Je ne sais même si la Congregation y voudra descendre quelque [p. 43] instance qu'on lui fasse ou par lettre, ou par le moyen de quelque député à Rome. C'est qu'il y a de certain c'est que c'est l'affaire des vicaires Apostoliques et des autres supérieurs de réunir tous les esprits à la subordination qui est due aux décisions de St. Siège, autrement l'union se desoudra: la variété des avis fera beaucoup de mal à tous les corps, et il n'y aura pas moyen de conduire un troupeau où chaque brebis veut choisir son chemin." hactenus ille.

Interea de his omnibus D. Praeses certiorum fecit Dnum Ingleton, qui tunc temporis Reginae nostrae apud S. Germanum erat ab Eleemosynis quique solebat scribere Epistolas latinas Regis et Reginae ad Emin. Cardlem Gualterum Angliae Protectorem. Nihil dubitandum quin de injuriâ factâ quam gravissimè essent conquesturi et imprimis quidem quod Episcopus Thespiensis juvenis et jam modo ordinatus Episcopus hanc declarationem obtinisset sine consensu aut consilio aliorum Episcoporum: 2<sup>do</sup> quod Internuntius Bruxellensis merito reprehendendus videretur quod non

Multorum objectiones contra praedictum juramentum et declarationem de illo factam.



consulisset alios seniores Episcopos in re maximi momenti ad Regem et Catholicos in Anglia pertinente priusquam Romam misset petitionem solius Episcopi Thespiensis. Deinde Internuntius non ostendit ullum decretum aut Epistolam hac de re neque a suâ sanctitate neque ab ullâ congregatione sicut in hujusmodi casibus semper fieri solet. Denique merito ulterius quaeri posset quam latè paterit juramentum *fidelitas et integrae obedientiae*: Quid si legitimus Angliae Rex (qui per leges et constitutiones regni, indubitatum jus habet ad thronum paternum) regnum cum copiis invaderet deberentne subditi sui Catholici pugnare contra ipsum pro usurpatore Georgio cui, jam jubente sede Apostolica, fidelitatem et integram obedientiam voverant. Sed de his plura fortassis postea.

Misit etiam eodem tempore Internuntius Brux: Epistolam ad Episcopum Marcopolitanum, tum ut ipsum certiores faceret de praedicta declaratione circa novum juramentum, tum etiam ut promitteret se scripturum Romam de iis quae praedictus Episcopus ad ipsum detulisset de negligentia superiorum in examinandis iis qui proficiscuntur in missionem Anglicanam.

Circa initium mensis hujus aut finem praecedentis Romam versus Parisiis discessit D<sup>r</sup> Strickland<sup>s</sup> cum litteris commendatitiis a duce Norfolciae, ab Internuntio Bruxellensi et aliis nonnullis, cum vero paucis antea diebus fuerat cum Regina apud S. Germanum ne verbum quidem de itinere suo locutus est: quod in malam partem accepit Regina, omnesque ex hujusmodi silentio facile judicabant, occasionem suscepti itineris non esse in favorem Regis. imo vero cum intelligeret nuntius Apostolicus Bentivoglio Parisiis Stricklandum nullas habere litteras a Regina, suas ipsi denegavit.

Die 24 in vigilia nativitatis D. N. J. C. accessit huc ex Anglia . . . . . Fettiplace hic Weston nuper Ecclesiae Anglicanae minister qui semper recusaverat juramenta contra legitimum Regem Jacobum; reconciliatus fuerat Ecclesiae Catholicae per Sapientissimum D. Jacob: Barker Londini.


Ante finem anni omni aere alieno per solutionem debitorum liberatum fuit Collegium, ope amicorum in Anglia.

Anno, 1717.

Januar:

[p. 44] In festo Epiphaniae juramentum ab Alex. 7 praescriptum praestitit in cubiculo Dni Praesidis Edw. Barlow nobilis Lancastriensis.

Die 8 litteras accepit D. Praeses ab Episcopo Madaurensi et D. Barker, quibus significabant Episcopum Thespiensem paucis ante diebus convocasse Londini Superiores Regularium et alios sui districtus iisque publicasse declarationem de juramento fidelitatis et integrae obedientiae praestando Regi Georgio nullis qui adfuit suo calculo approbavit juramentum praeter Episcopum Stoner.

N.B.  
 Provincialis Jesuitarum negat se locutum fuisse in favorem istius juramenti.

Eodem Tempore D. Praeses misit litteras ad Internuntium Bruxellensem cautè insinuando argumenta contra publicationem declarationis: misit etiam ad eundem brevem narrationem erectionis et continuationis Capituli Anglicani, copia asservatur in scrinio nostro.

*Februar. 1717.*

Die 4 huc accessit juvenis Edoard<sup>s</sup> Vandermulen hic Dally missus ab perillustri D. Henrico Howard fratre Ducis Norfolciae: rudimentis operam dat. Cum eo venit nos per aliquot dies invisurus R.D. Francis, Monialibus S. Clarae apud Dunkirkam a confessionibus, qui die Cinerum viz. die 10 mensis reversus est.

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erratum ordinati  
sunt Sabbato ante  
Dom Passionis die  
13 Martii.]

**S**abbato (Ante Dom Pass. die 13 Martii) 4 temporum viz. die 20 ad ordines promoti sunt Tornaci septem nostri Collegii alumni viz. ad minores ordines Mr. Matthaeus Beare, Mr. Bern: Turner hic Samuel, Mr. Joes Bishop hic Casely, Mr. Thomas Hawarden, ad Subdiaconatum D. Nicolaus Skelton, ad Diaconatum D. Joes Dun, ad presbyteratum D. Clemens Scot: cum ipsis Tornacum profectus est D. Praeses.

Circa finem mensis hujus Georgius Hannoveriae Elector, dictus Angliae Rex sub salvâ custodia posuit Comitem de Gyllembergo legatum Regis Sueciae, epistolas et chartas illius ab eo auferri et ad Concilium suam remitti jussit sub praetextu quod Rex Sueciae privato consilium iniisset invadendi regnum Angliae et restituendi Regem Jacobum—circa idem tempus Avenionem relinquere coactus est Rex Jacobus jussu Regis Galliae seu potius Regentis Ducis Aurelionensis qui foedus iniisset cum Rege Georgio.

Circa medium mensis in Angliam ad recuperandam sanitatem discessit D. Petrus Macclesfield Diaconus vir pius et doctus, reversurus aut ad sacerdotium promovendus in Anglia, modo convalesceret. Non multo post in Anglia mortuus est.

*Mart: 1717.*

[p. 45] In Siciliam et in Italiam profectus est Rex Jacobus.

Sabbato Sto die 27 ad ordines promoti sunt Cameraci, ad Diaconatum D. Nicolaus Skelton, ad presbyteratum D. Joannes Dun.

Epistolas Roma recepit D. Praeses ex quibus certior factus est nec Summum Pontificem, nec ullam Romae Congregationem agnoscere velle Declarationem quam in Angliam miserat Rddm<sup>s</sup> et Illustm<sup>s</sup> Internuntius Bruxellensis, de quâ superius plura.

*April: 1717.*

Die 2<sup>da</sup> huc ex Anglia accessit Georgius Barlow hic Kemp nobilis juvenis rudimentis operam daturus, cum eo venit R. D. Mullineux Sacerdos Coll: Romani ut sub tutela sua reciperet D. Georgium Hennage hic Kemp\* nobilem juvenem, comitatus Lincolnensis, de Haynton, qui cum eo hinc decessit die 5 Aprilis.

Die 23 Aprilis juramentum Alexand. 7<sup>mi</sup> praestitit et in alumnorum Pontificiorum numerum assumptus est Georgi<sup>s</sup> Kendall† Philosophus primi Anni.

*May, 1717.*

Die 19 discessit hinc Martinus Wollascot nobilis juvenis.

\* George Heneage son of George Heneage of Hainton, Lincs., Esq. and Mary dau. and heiress of Thomas Kemp, Esq. of Slindon, Sussex. He afterwards married Elizabeth dau. of Sir Henry Hunloke, Bart., of Wingeworth and left six sons and two daughters.

† The third of the four Kendal brothers. See note page 21 *sup*.



Circa medium hujus mensis epistolam recepit D. Praeses ab agente nostro D. Mayes, quâ significabatur Doctorē Stricklandū obtulisse rationes Congregationi S<sup>ci</sup> Officii quibus licitum esse contendebat Catholicis praestare juramenta *Allegientiae* seu fidelitatis R. Georgio et abjuratōis contra Regem legitimum Jacobum: non aliam tamen retulit responsionem nisi hanc, *consulant Theologos*: sic re infecta rediit Strickland<sup>4</sup>.

Die 26 invisit nos urbanitatis causā R. Pater Powell\* Rector Audomar-ensis cum Patre Meynill† cognato Praesidis; hic prandium et altera vice caenam sumpserunt.

Die 29 Huc adventarunt duo juvenes Joan: Temple hic Johnson et Ricard<sup>5</sup> Temple hic Johnson. Hic infimis rudimentis operam dant.

Die 12<sup>mo</sup> Maii Logicam sub R. D. Richardo Challoner propugnarunt Georgius Kendall, Philippus Short. Gerard, Robert<sup>6</sup> Manby et die 12 mane Georgius Bishop, Gulielmus Green‡ non sine mediocri applausu.

*Junius, 1717.*

[p. 46] Die 9 Dns Praeses profectus est Gandavum Brugas etc. cum Edo. Blount§ Equite Aurato (cujus avunculus nuper Gandavi obierat) et cum Rowlando Bellasis|| juniore filio Vicecomitis de Fauconberge, Gandavo profectus est Bruxellas et Lovanium cum praedicto nobili juvene Edw Blount et die ultm: Julii cum eodem et cum Rowl: Bellasis reversus est Duacum. Bruxellis invisit Internuntiū Aplcum.

Die 15 accessit huc Georgius Ball¶ hic Worthington Lancastriensis.

*Julius 1717.*

Hoc mense ad instantiam Serenissimi Regis nostri Jacobi 3 Emntssmus Cardlis Gualterus declaratus Protector omnium Catholicorum et Collegiorum etc. Magnae Britanniae, fuerat quidem antea per annos aliquot protector Regis et curiae Anglicanae.

Die 29 Accesserunt huc Jarardus Strickland\*\* et Augustinus Jenison†† cum R.D. Gulielmo Hildreth *alias* Addison qui per aliquod tempus hic commorari petiit.

\* Fr. Francis Powell S.J. (1658-1733). See Foley, *Records*, vii, 627.

† Fr. James Meynell, S.J. (1689-1746). See Foley, *Records*, vii, 504.

‡ William Scott, *alias* Green, afterwards President of Douay, 1750-1770. He was born 2 Nov., 1696, and Mr. Gillow (*Dict.* v, 407) states that he was probably of the ancient family of Scott of Wigan.

§ Eldest son of George Blount and Mary, dau. of Henry, fifth Earl of Thomond. Succeeded his uncle in the baronetcy 12 May, 1717. He married Apollonia, dau. of Sir John Throckmorton, Bart. He died in 1758 leaving two sons and three daughters.

|| Second son of Thomas Belasyse third viscount Fauconberg, and Bridget, dau. of Sir John Gage of Firlie, Sussex.

¶ Son of Robert Ball, of Scale Hall, near Lancaster and Winefrid, dau. of — Taylor of Park Hall, Quernmore, whose other sons Edward and John also became priests. He became chaplain to the Warwicks of Warwick Hall, Cumberland, and died 26 April, 1748.

\*\* Second son of Walter Strickland of Sizergh, Westmorland, Esq., and Ann, dau. of Gerard Salvin, of Croxdale, Esq. He was born 30 July, 1704, and subsequently married first Mary Bagnell and secondly Lady Gascoigne, widow of Sir Edward Gascoigne, Bart. He died 1 Sept., 1791.

†† Second son of John Jenison of Heighington, Gent. and Sarah Williams his wife, and nephew of the priest of this name already mentioned (see page 15 *sup*). He settled in Newcastle-on-Tyne and was still living in 1737.

Die 7 accessit huc Thom. Whitgrave\* nobilis Phiae operam daturus.

August, 1717.

Die 3tia D. Praeses invitatus ad conventum generalem Capituli Anglicani et propter alia Collegii negotia Angliam versus iter coepit, die 4to remansit Audomari et die 5<sup>ta</sup> venit Londinum.

Die 7 accesserunt Thom: Salkeld et Henricus Salkeld† nepotes Dni Praesidis.

Literas Londino secum retulit Dns Praeses ab Episcopis Madaurensi et Marcopolitano ad Emintsmū Protectorem.

Reversus est Duacum D. Praeses ultimo die mensis cum Georgio Petre et Joanne Paston qui rudimentis operam sunt daturi.

Sept<sup>br</sup> 1717.

Initio mensis misit D. Praeses Eplam gratulatoriam ad Emntssimum Protectorem.

Mansit hic per tempus aliquod Rogerus Dicconson frater Dni vicepraesidis et frater ipsius Hugo Dicconson.

[p. 47] Die 16 Parisios hinc profecti sunt magister Matthæus Bear et Georgius Bishop hujus Collegii alumni ut in Seminario nostro Anglicano ad Gradus Theologicos promoveantur. Prior hic docuerat Literas humaniores ad finem Rhaetoricae et fuit Acolythus, posterior unum Philosophiae annum jam confecerat, ambo ex nobili familia et optima spei.

Die 24 huc accessit Ricardus Shea hic Barnwell, Poeta.

Die 27 Adventarunt Henricus et Petrus Markam in rudimentis.

Die 29 Adventarunt sex juvenes e collegio Audomarensi huc missi a Dno Gough viz Io: Bap Gough ad Grammaticam ascensurus, Edw. et Alexand Cumberford, Patricius Walsh, Thom. Hilson, Joachim Montoro Hispanus, reliqui hiberni, ad rudimenta.

Accessit Joseph Cumberford.

October, 1717.

Die 1<sup>mo</sup> ex Anglia huc accesserunt Joannes Butler hic Plunket‡ et Edwardus Bartlet ad Grammaticam.

\* Thomas Whitgreave of Moseley, Staffs., Esq. and Isabella, dau. of William Turville Esq. of Aston Flamville, Leicestershire. He was born 8 Feb., 1697, was at school at St. Omer's, and now began his philosophy at the age of 20. The following year he entered the Society of Jesus. He died 30 Nov., 1757. See Foley, *Records*, vii, 839.

† These boys were in fact the President's great nephews, being the sons of his niece Elizabeth dau. of John Witham, who married Thomas Salkeld, of Whitehall. Henry became a physician at York and when Thomas died unmarried he succeeded to the estate. He married a dau. of Edward Charlton, of Hesleyside, but died without issue.

‡ Walter Butler of Kilcash and his wife Lady Mary Plunket (daughter of Christopher, 2nd Earl of Fingall) had two grandsons named Walter Butler, children of their sons Thomas and John, and thus first cousins. Both were boys of school age at this time, but it has not been found possible to discover which of them is the youth here referred to. Each of them would naturally have taken his grandmother's name as an alias. One of these cousins, Walter Butler, son of Thomas Butler of Kilcash and Lady Margaret Burke (daughter of William, 7th Earl of Clanricarde) died unmarried in Paris. The second Walter Butler was son of John Butler of Garryricken, and Frances his wife (daughter of George Butler). He was born in 1703 and became *de jure* 16th Earl of Ormonde in 1766 but never assumed the title. He died 2 June 1783. From the fact that the boy mentioned in the text took the name John it would appear more probable that he was the son of John and not of Thomas.



Die 3<sup>tio</sup> huc adventarunt ex Anglia Georgius Row et Joannes Row fratres et ipsorum cognatus Thomas Row.

Die 4<sup>to</sup> viz. die lunae sacrum solemne de spiritu Sto pro fœlici Scholæ inchoatione cantavit D. Praeses et habuit de more conciunculas in singulis classibus.

Hoc anno Theologiae magistri erant D. Edw. Dicconson Vicepraeses D. Richard<sup>s</sup> Kendall; Philosophiae Dns Ricard<sup>s</sup> Challoner hic Willard et Dns Joseph<sup>s</sup> Martin, hic Munson. Rhaetoricae D. Henr Kendall, Poesios D. Clem. Scot, Syntaxeos D. Thom. Bulmer seu Gibson, Grammaticae D. Fran. Squib hic Petre, Rudimentorum D. Joan. Cornwall. In Theologica classe non erant nisi 5 Theologi, in priori Philosophiae classe 4, in posteriori 7, in Rhaetorica 9, in Poesi 12. In Syntaxi 9. In Grammatica 13, in prima classe rudimentorum 17. In 2<sup>da</sup> classe 12 praeter Alexand et Philip Hales. Seniores cum Praeside 8. Item convictor D. Gulielm Hildreth hic Addison et D. Morelli Musicae magister, Professores 5, famuli 10. In principio hujus anni in Collegio personae omnino 115.

Die 14, accessit huc Georgius Malkolm Scotus 10 annorum puer.

*Novbr 1717.*

Circa finem hujus mensis accessit Joannes Cooper<sup>\*</sup> juvenis 13<sup>tim</sup> circiter annorum, rudimentis operam daturus.

*Decembr 1717.*

Die 28 Juramentum Alumnorum praestiterunt in praesentia D. Vicep. Dicconson et D. Brocholes. Gulielmus Maire † Dunelmensis logicus et Gulielm<sup>s</sup> Thornobrough, ‡ Carleolensis, Poeta, ambo optimae spei juvenes et primi in suis classibus.

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*Anno 1718.*

*Jan. Feb. Marti. 1718.*

Initio hujus mensis Martii D. Joan Hales§ Baronet<sup>s</sup> huc misit nuntium cum mandato ut ipsi traderemus tres ejus filios quod recusare non poteramus etsi admodum inviti, eo quod pater ipsorum a fide Catholica defecerat.

Discessit hinc cum tutore suo Illustrissimus Comes de Fingall|| hic in Grammatica,

\* From a later entry we find his name was MacMahon.

† In the first part of the 18th century there were five priests of this name:—(i) William Maire, chaplain at Hammersmith in 1697; died 1739; (ii) William Maire *vere* Hawarden, b. 1666, d. 1727 (see note page 12 *sup.*); (iii) William Maire, great uncle to Bishop Maire, b. 16—, d. 1740; (iv) William Maire, the student named in the text above, b. 1699, d. 1733; (v) William Maire, afterwards Bishop of Cinna and V.A.N.D. (1768-1769), born 1704, died 25 July, 1769. The student here mentioned became priest in 1723, taught at Douay till 1728, was missionary at York where he was drowned 30 June, 1733.

‡ William Thornburgh, second son of William Thornburgh, Esq. of Welside, West-moriand, and Mary, daughter of Captain William Huddleston of Hale. Afterwards President (1738-1750).

§ Sir John Hales had succeeded to the baronetcy in 1695 and lived till 1744 when he was in turn succeeded by his grandson Edward who was a Catholic.

|| Justin fifth Earl of Fingall, son of Peter, fourth Earl, and Frances daughter of Sir Edward Hales, bart. He had succeeded to the title on the death of his father 24 Jan. 1717. He married Mary, daughter of Maurice Fitzgerald (a lady who married three noblemen in succession, Lords Fingall, Kenmare and Bellew) but had no children. He died 1733.

Acessit juvenis Rob. Pinkard hic Tipper\* ad Grammaticā.  
In Italia jam per annum et medium manserat Jacobus Rex Angliae.  
In Angliam reversus est R.D. Addison *alias* Hildreth.

Die 17 Jan. hujus anni juramentum alumnorum praestitit Rob Kendall† Cestriensis Philosophus primi Anni.

*Aprilis 1718.*

Circa festum Paschae venit huc R.D. Guliel. Tempest mansurus hic per tempus aliquod.

Missus etiam Audomaro ad nostrum Collegium Gulielmus Clifton filius Gervasii Clifton Baroneti‡ et post sex hebdomadas veniam obtinuit a Patre ut in Angliam proficisceretur.

In Angliam ob negotia quaedam temporalia profectus est dns Vicepraeses cum fratre suo D. Hugone Dicconson.

Die 24 juramentum alumnorum praestitit M. Fran. Petre Londinensis Theologus.

*Maii 1718.*

Die 17<sup>mo</sup> D. Praeses cum juvene Baroneto Blount profectus est Gandavum, inde Bruxellas, Lovanium, Leodium Aquisgranum. Invisit Internuntium Bruxellensem praecipue ut conquereretur de Epistolâ scriptâ ab ignoto quodam ad Episcopum Tornacensem in qua scriptor malevolus praetendebat se esse superiorem totius missionis

ob fictam Epistolam nostri non sunt admissi ad ordines Tornaci in Quadregesima.

Anglicanae et sub eo nomine rogabat et admonebat Episcopum Tornacensem ne Anglis manus imponeret et praesertim nostri Collegii alumnis: ob hanc fictitiam Epistolam nostri et Anglo Benedictini ab ordinibus Tornaci suscipiendis repulsi sunt. Scripserat statim Praeses ad Secretarium Episcopi Tornacensis, ipsique exposuit imposturam. Re communicata cum Episcopo rescriptum statim secretarius litteras humanitatis plenas quibus significabat Rddsmū Episcopum nullam sinistram de nostris concepisse opinionem, sed ob dictam Epistolam malevoli ut aiebat scriptoris se excusatum existimare, quod nostris ordines non contulisse: in posterum vero nobis remedium facile futurum si aut literas commendatitias haberemus ab Internuntio Bruxellensi, aut si vellemus literas dimissorias pro nostris ab Episcopo Atrebatensi obtinere. Igitur de hac [p. 49] re certiore fecit Praeses Illustrium Internuntium, et quidem quantum ad literas Dimissorias legerat Praeses in quodam Diario hujus Collegii quendam e Praedecessoribus suis prohibitum fuisse ab Internuntio tunc temporis Bruxellis agente ne literas peteret ab Ordinario contra privileg-

\* Robert Pinkard *als* John Typper was son of George Pinkard and Susan, dau. of Robert Needham of Hilston in Monmouth, Esq. Born in London. After ordination in 1727 he went to England in 1729 and laboured in London. He assisted Bishop Challoner in preparing his edition of the Bible, was made a capitular in 1743, acted as Douay-Agent in London. In 1762 he retired to Douay where he died 24 Jan., 1766. See Gillow, *Dia.* v, 313.

† The fourth and last of the Kendal brothers. (See note p. 21 *sup.*.)

‡ Sir Gervase Clifton of Clifton Hall, married Ann dau. of Dudley Bagnall, Esq., of Newry in Ireland. The pedigree in Thornton's "*History of Nottinghamshire*" only mentions his eldest son Robert. This diary gives us two others, William who arrived at Douay in 1718 and George who followed two years later. (See p. 81).



ium in Indulto Apostolico concessum. Ad instantiam itaque Praesidis. Internuntius statim scripsit ad Rdsmū Tornacensem ab eoque recepit responsum se in posterum paratum fore nostris ordines conferre, uti Praesidi per literas datas Julii significavit Internuntius Bruxellensis.

Die 6<sup>ta</sup> mensis hujus diem clausit supremam apud Castrum S<sup>u</sup> Germani Serenissima Angliae Regina Maria\* per 30 Annos ibidem exul. Erat tunc temporis apud Urbinum in Italia Jacobus 3<sup>tius</sup>, ejusdem filius, ad quem moriens hanc tantummodo perferendam admonitionem petiit, ut tribus Regnis sibi jure debitis Catholicam semper anteponeret Religionem.

Die 10<sup>ma</sup> missam in nostro Sacello pro Regina cantavit Dn<sup>s</sup> praeses exequiasque solemnī modō persolvit: quibus interfuere praecipui ex Civitate et Universitate.

Hoc mense literas misit Revd<sup>ss</sup> Episcopus Marcopolitanus ad Eminent<sup>ss</sup> Protectorem quibus liberari petiit ab onere Vicariatus Apostolici in Anglia. Has invitus misit frater ipsius D. Praeses.

*Jun. 1718.*

Hoc mense huc accesserunt Joannis Barlow et Carolus Pegg juvenes.

Ditius morari Lovanii coactus est Praeses eo quod D. Gilbert<sup>s</sup> Haydock in Angliam cum duabus Religiosis familiae comitis de Darwenwater profectus fuerat, ne grave pateretur damnum dictum monasterium amittendo pensionem annuam quam ex patrimonio Comitis recipere solebant illae Religiosae nobiles.

D. Praeses recepit literas ab Eminentissimo Protectore quibus ipsi concedebatur facultas dispensandi in irregularitate contracta ex haeresi cum alumnis Collegii Anglorum.

Die 18 mensis Barcinonā solvit magna Classis Hispanorum Italiam versus ut recuperaret ab Imperatore regnum Neapolitanur etc vel Siciliae.

*Julii 1718.*

Die 17 ad Collegium reversus est Erud D. Praeses cum juvene Baroneto Blount Dialecticam inchoaturo.

Die 16 hujus mensis Philosophiam universo sub R.D. Rich. Challoner propugnarunt Joan Gerard Lancastriensis, Rob. Manbie filius Thom. Manbie Baroneti et Georgius Kendall Lancastriensis.

[p. 50] Die 17 mane Tractatum de Deo uno sub R.D. Rich Kendal defendit Joan. Bishop Subdiac; dioecesis Exoniensis; a meridie magister Bernardus Tourner Acolythus, Londinensis, hic Laurentius Samuel, et die 18 mane D. Nicolaus Skelton diaconus Carleolensis.

Eodem die 17 in Angliam ob quaedam negotia reversurus ante festum S. Remigii profectus est R.D. Richard<sup>s</sup> Willard. Dialecticam ejus loco docuit Rd. D. Henricus Kendall.

Circa finem hujus mensis cum morbus pustularum propter aestivos calores plus solito periculosior videretur et unus e studiosis scilicet Edw. Dicconson in eundem incidisset morbum, Dns Praeses ad villam nostram dictam La Croix profectus est cum 24 qui nondum habuissent illum morbum.

\* Mary of Modena, Queen of James II (b. 1658, d. 1718).

*August, 1718.*

Circa initium mensis D. Praeses loco D. Emmanuelis Christmass praefectum Generalem constituit D. Gulielm. Tempest qui prius per annos aliquot fuerat in missione Anglicana.

R.D. Joseph Martin non absque applausu suscepit gradum Licentiatum in Facultate Theologica.

Cum hic Annus fuerit 150<sup>ms</sup> a fundatione hujus Collegii viz an. 1568, solemnitatem 3<sup>iii</sup> Jubilaei celebrare visum est. Missam solemnem cantavit Dns Praeses et ad coenam invitavit superiores Benedictinorum Recollectorū et Collegii Scotorum.

11 die mensis Classis Hispanica non longe ab Insula Sicilia fugata devicta ac pene destructa est ab Anglorū Classe licet nullū est bellū declaratum Hispanos inter et Anglos.

*7<sup>br</sup> 1718,*

Cum Dns Praeses per literas accepisset ab Episcopo Madaurensi, Episcopum Thespiensem aut alios id obtinuisse a Congregatione de Propaganda ut nullus emitteret in lucem versionem Anglicanam Novi Testamenti, nisi prius approbata fuisset ab illis quos nominaret dicta Congregatio, pacis causa statuit non ulterius progredi in dictā versione quamvis primū volumen jam paratū haberet et idcirco melius existimavit resumere Lectionem Theologicam et in Angliam mittere Dnū Ricardum Kendal.

Circa finem mensis Parisios ad Seminarium Gallicū vulgo des Bons Enfants, profectus est D. Eman. Christmass, ibi per aliquot menses moraturus.

Ex Anglia reversus est D. Richard<sup>s</sup> Challoner.

*8<sup>br</sup> 1718.*

[p. 51] Initio mensis hujus in Anglicanam missionem profectus est D. Ricard<sup>s</sup> Kendall, vir pietate et doctrina insignis, qui hic Theologiam per 5 aut sex annos docuerat et Confesarii ac Praefecti Studiorum munere functus fuisset. Studiorum praefectus in ejus locum constitutus est a Praeside D.R. Challoner.

Die Lunae die 3 mensis post missam solemnem de Spiritu S<sup>to</sup> Scholas aperuit Erd. D. Praeses habita de more conciuncula exhortatoria in singulis humaniorum Scholarum classibus.

Magistri hoc an. Theol: Er. D. Praeses et Dns Vicepraeses; Philosp. D. Ricard<sup>s</sup> Challoner et Erud D. Joseph<sup>s</sup> Martin; Rhaetor D. Clem Scot; Poesios D. Tho. Bulmer; Syntaxeos D. Fran Squib hic Petre; Gram D. Henr. Kendall; Rudimentorum D. Joan. Cornwall.

In Schola Theologica erant 8

In Physica seu 2d Phiae an 5.

In Logica—11.

In Rhaetorica—9

In Poesi—9.

In Syntaxi—12.

In Grammatca—14.

In Rudimentis—23.

In Collegio persona 104 praeter 10 famulos.

Accepta Epistola a Dno Stapleton cum quo in Anglia vixerat Dns



Tempest, necesse fuit in Angliam ad patronum suū iterū remittere ne id in malam partem acciperet Dns Stapleton. Ejus loco die 5 Praefectum Generalem Praeses constituit D. Thom Gibson hic Bulmer, magistrū Poesios Dnū Cornwall, et Rudimentorum professorem D. Gulielmū Green *alias* Scot qui hic Philosophiam absolverat nec tum alumnus erat Collegii.

Die 10 in Angliam cum nobili juvene Rob. Manby, filius Thom. Manby Equitis, profectus est D. Tempest. Cum D. Kendall profectus fuerit Jo. Gerard Lancastriensis qui Philosophiam hic propugnarat.

Die 13 Accesserunt duo juvenes Petrus Vavasour\* et Jacob<sup>s</sup> Howes; rudimentis operam dant.

Die 22 Accesserunt duo nobiles juvenes filii Rodulphi Standish et Howard; natu major Radulphus Syntaxi, minor Georgius Gramaticae operam dant.†

Die 23 Hic in Collegio ad prandium invitati venerunt Marquio et Marquionissa de Seaforth.

Circa finem mensis vita functus est cum maximis pietatis indiciiis Josephus Betts‡ e classe Poetarum.

9bris 1718.

[p. 52] Huc accesserunt Hugo Bullen Lancastriensis et Samuel Cox Oxfordiensis rudimentis operam daturi.

Circa finem mensis in Angliam profectus est D. Vicepraeses ut coram Commissariis Regiis appareret ne temporalium bonorum jacturam faceret. Ejus locum ut Theologiae magistri supplevit D. Praeses, et per totum annum utramque docuit scholam.

Mense December 1718.

Dnus Emanuel Christmas de consensu Praesidis constitutus est Confessarius Monialium Anglarum Parisiis ordinis qui dicitur B.M.V. Immaculatae Conceptionis.

In Anglia mortuus est nobilis D. Thom Giffard§ de Chillington et quingentas libras monetae Anglicanae Collegio reliquit aedificationi Collegii applicandas.

Ad ordines Tornaci promoti sunt ad Acolythatū Mg. Franciscus Petre M. Ed<sup>w</sup> Barlow hic Meynil, M. Georgius Kendal; ad Subdiacantum M. Bernardus Tournier, Fran, Petre, Ed. Barlow; ad Diaconatū Dnus Joan. Caseley *alias* Bishop, D. Thom. Hawarden; ad presbytū D. Nicol Skelton.

Die 29 juramentum alumnorum praestitit Tho. Atkinson|| Eboracensis

\* Peter was a family name among the Vavasours of Hazlewood, but this youth is not found in the prints and pedigrees in which there are great discrepancies.

† The two eldest sons of Ralph Standish of Standish, Lancs., Esq. and Lady Philippa Howard, dau. of Henry, Duke of Norfolk. Ralph Howard Standish the elder married in 1730, Mary dau. of George Butler, Esq. of Ballyragget in Ireland and had two sons Ralph and Edward who both died in infancy. He died in 1735, both he and his brother George who died unmarried, predeceasing their father.

‡ See note above p. 45.

§ Son of John Giffard of Chillington, Esq., and Frances dau. of William Fitzherbert of Swinnerton, Esq. He married in 1688, Mary dau. of John Thimelby of Fornham, Lincs., Esq., succeeded to the estates in 1694 and died without issue 1718.

|| Born in 1700, ordained 1724, acted as General Prefect and died at Douay 10 Feb. 1728.

optimae spei et singularis pietatis. Rhaetor.

Anno 1719.

Jan. 1719.

Magna orta est difficultas et dissensio inter novū parochum aliospatres Oratorii Jesu qui sacramenta (administrabant) in Ecclesia S. Jacobi et parochianos ejusdem parochiae, eo quod patres illi non solum non recepissent Constitutionem *Unigenitus*, verum etiam appellassent ad futurum Generalem Concilium quamvis hoc de ipso paroco non adeo constaret. Literas accepit D. Praeses ab Internuntio Bruxellensi ne cum illis communicarent nostri in sacris, aut saltem nonnisi cum Paroco.

Huc accessit Moyses Whitaker hic Georgius Francklin, literis commendatus Illustmi Episcopi Thespiensis.

Feb. 1719.

Literas ab Illustmo Internuntio Bruxellensi recepit Dnus Praeses his verbis "Amplissimae dominationi vestrae cogor  
Prohibitio facta "edicere ne ullum omnino e suo isto Collegio Parisios  
mittendi alumnos "mittat ad Theologiae studia colenda et ut quoad  
Parisios. "facere [p. 53] potest, curet ne quispiam ex ipsa  
"Anglia eo proficiscatur." Et cum Praeses sequentibus literis peteret ut dignaret significare qua autoritate facta fuerat praedicta prohibitio responsum accepit ab Illustmo Internuntio, prohibitionem de qua ad me scripserat factam fuisse a *Sanctitate Sua*.\*

Mart. 1719.

Hoc mense lenta febre mortui sunt Hugo Bullen Lancastriensis Gramatca et Petrus Vavasour e rudimentis.

Philosophiam naturalem propugnarunt sub Erud. D. Josepho Martin, Gulielmus Smith, Jacobus Gandy, Gulielmus Maire, Robertus Kendall.

Haud levis difficultas orta est circa communionem paschalem in Ecclesia parochiali fieri solitam et circa receptionem sacramentorum a Paroco et patribus Oratorii, eo quod de Paroco dubium esset et quantum ad reliquos constabat eos appellasse a Papa ad Concilium Generale. Erud D. Praeses per literas consuluit Illustmum Internuntium Bruxellensem a quo responsum habuit ut si aliter fieri non posset, nostri recipere possent communionem a Pastore non autem a reliquis, imo satius esse existimavit moribundos nostros mori sine extrema Unctione quam ab Appellante Sacramentum illūd recipere.

Parochus etiam cum D. Praeside expostulavit quod ipse non vocatus fuisset ut daret nostris sacrum Viaticum in hoc collegio, cui responsum est juxta antiquissimam et immemorabilem ut loquuntur consuetudinem Praesidem hujus Collegii viaticum administrasse Sacerdotibus alumniis et omnibus convictoribus. Nec tamen acquievit Parochus sed litem a Paroco expectare possumus.

Aprilis 1719.

Ad Gradum Baccalaureatus et Licentiatum in sacra Theologia cum

\* This prohibition led to considerable friction between Douay and St. Gregory's, Paris. See later entries in this Diary and the account given in the Register of St. Gregory's, Paris under the year 1721 (C.R.S. xix, 124-127).



ingenti onmium applausu promotus est D. Richardus Challoner hic Willard, Philosophiae Professor.

Cum in ultima ad Licentiam responsione ex verbis S. Thomae 2. 2. Q. 1. a. 10. affirmasset nullum Thomistam negare posse Summum Pontificem esse infallibilem, Rector Magnificus D. Briffaut Juris consultus post invitationem ad disputationem epistolam misit ad D. Praesidem suadens et jubens ut Thesis differretur donec consuleret ea de re Curiam Gallicanam. At habito consilio cum Professoribus [p. 54] Regiis noluerunt illi permittere ut disputatio in aliud Tempus differetur sed e contra non esse penes Rectorem ut disputationem prohiberet consenserunt. Denique propugnata est eadē Thesis repugnanti licet Rectore magnifico et de aliorum consilio ad Franciae Cancellarium scripsit Erud D. Praeses neque ulla secuta est reprehensio a Cancellario sed e contra permissum est ut doctrina de Infallibilitate Summi Pontificis propugnaretur in hac Academiā. Interim aliquantisper offensus est Rdssimus Atrebatensis et ab eodem imprudenter egisse dictus est D. Challoner ob temporum circumstantias. Circa idem tempus Infallibilitatem Summi Pontificis propugnarunt Carmelitae discalceati.

Discessit hinc Jacob<sup>s</sup> Cartwright [sic] e Syntaxi Discessit circa idem tempus Jacobus Whitnall.

*Maii. 1719.*

Discesserunt hinc Endymion et Albericus Porter e Syntaxi, et e Gramatica Philippus Harper.

In Angliam profectus fuerat ob quaedam negotia D. Thom Brocholes procurator et post menses duos huc reversus est.

In Hispaniam ex Italia profectus est Rex Angliae

Discessit R. D. Jacobus 3 tius.

Laur Breets, homo  
semper inquietae  
indolis.

In Angliam discessit R.D. Lau Breers musaei praefectus. officii pertaesus, indolis inquietae et melancholicae.

*Jun. 1719.*

Philosophiam rationalem sub Erudit. D. Challoner propugnarunt Edward<sup>s</sup> Dicconson\* et Basilius Bartlet,† Georgius Markam,‡ Edward Blunt, Baront die 12 Junii; Guilm<sup>s</sup> Paston§ Jacob<sup>s</sup> Porter Henricus Parry, Thom Markam die 13.

\* The Vicepresident's nephew and namesake, only son of Roger Dicconson who had been attainted and convicted of treason at Lancaster 1716 on account of his share in the 1715 rising. Edward afterwards married Mary, dau. of George Blount, Esq.

† Fourth son of Rowland Bartlett of Hill End, and Castle Morton, Worcester, and Ann, dau. of John Tasburgh of Rodney Hall, Norfolk. Born 1700; died 1752.

‡ Thomas Markham of Ollerton, Notts, esq. and Catherine, dau. of Philip Constable of Houghton, by whom he had twelve sons, seven of whom were at Douay:—George Thomas, Gregory, Henry, Robert, Charles and Edward. Thomas and George here mentioned were the third and fourth respectively. Thomas afterwards married Miss Crane of Gedney, Lincs. and died 12 Feb., 1768. George, born in 1698, married Mary, dau. of Bryan Salvin, Esq., of Croxdale, Durham, and died 23 Feb., 1760 at Ghent, where he was buried in the church of the English nuns. Henry and Robert both died at Douay, the former Jan., 1723, the latter 14 May, 1733, being then a sub-deacon. The others died unmarried.

§ Probably a relative of Dr. Edward Paston, but the connection has not been traced.

Ex Anglia huc accessit Sapientiss<sup>m</sup> D. Rider, Dr. Parisiensis, ut inquireret nobile Juvenē Edo. Blount Baronetum.

Accessit et Illustr<sup>m</sup> comes Rivers huj<sup>s</sup> Coll alumn<sup>s</sup>.

Accessit hic mansurus Juvenis 13 annorum Joan. Stapleton<sup>\*</sup> ex comitatu Eboracensi Accessit paulo ante Thom. Tankard hic Walgrave† filius Thoma. Tankard Baroneti de Branton comitatus Eboracensis.

Regi Jacobo per procuratorem nupsit Serenissima Princeps Clementina Sobieski, apud Bulloniam in Italia cum Rex esset in Hispania.

*Julii 1719.*

Prima hebdomada hujus mensis tres disputationes ad magisterium sustinuit Erudit D. Praeses et admissus est ad doctoratum.

Sequenti hebdomada ad disputationes pro magisterio [p. 55] admissus est R et Erud. Pater Josephus Rokeby‡ Anglo-Benedictinus, sed a facultate Theologica rejectus est tanquam minus habens. In illius favorem Rectori et Procuratori Scotorum sese applicuerunt Illus Comes Rivers et Erud. D. Praeses eorumque. mediatione apud Professores Regios Delcourt et de Marg ad 4tā tandem disputationem admissus est, et ea peracta ad Actū Vesperialem die 29 Julii.

Die 30 Julii Actum Vesperialem peregit Erud D. Praeses, terminorum, ut aiunt, Interpres, sive ejus Encomiastes fuit Eruditiss<sup>m</sup> D. Challoner hic Willard.

Die 31 Julii ad gradum doctoralem in Theologia promotus est D. Praeses et etiam P. Josep. Rokeby.

Prandium in hoc collegio exhibuit Exim. D. Praeses 100 circiter primariis Civitatis et Universitatis viz Comiti d' Estain Civitatis Gubernatorii, primo Senatus Flandriae Praesidi, Magnifico Rectori, omnium Facultatum doctoribus facultati Artium per deputatos, omnibus Civitatis magistratibus, Capitulo S<sup>ci</sup> Amati et Capitulo S. Petri per deputatos aliisque multis in nostro Refectorio.

Adfuerunt Parisiis Dn<sup>s</sup> Green Confessor monialiū Sti Augustini Parisiensium et D. Georg. Hind e seminario Anglicano.

Versibus adornata erant Ambulachra.

Circa diem 15<sup>ta</sup>m Philosophiam universalem sub Erud D. Martin propugnarunt Gulielm<sup>s</sup> Smith, Thomas Maire, § Gulielm<sup>o</sup> Maire, Rob Kendall.

In Italiam reversus est serenissimus Rex Angliae Jacobus.

*Aug. 1719.*

Die 1 Convivium in coena exhibuit omnibus in Collegio nostro Exim D. Praeses: adfuerunt Illust. Comes Rivers, Sap. Mag. Rider, D. Green, D. Hind etc D. Joan Melling.

\* Possibly one of the Erringtons of Conteland who took the name Stapleton in 1707.

† Thomas Tancred son of Sir William Tancred, second Bart., and his second wife Elizabeth, dau. of Charles Waldgrave of Stanning Hall, Norfolk. He subsequently succeeded as third baronet, married Elizabeth, dau. of William Messenger of Fountains Abbey, Yorkshire and died in 1744.

‡ Dom George Joseph Rokeby, O.S. B. (1688—1761) afterwards Abbot of Lamba-spring. See Birt, *Obit Book of Eng. Ben.*, p. 103.

§ Second son of Thomas Maire of Hardwick, Durham and Lartington, Yorks., Esq., and Mary, dau. of Richard Fermor, Esq. of Tusmore, Oxfordshire. Elder brother of Richard and William noted above. He succeeded to the estates in 1752 and died unmarried 25 Dec., 1762



Disputationem pueri nobilis die praecedenti pro Exim D. Praesid summo cum applausu peregit Joan. Stapleton.

Die 2 Theses de 7 Sacramentis sub Exim. d. Praeside propugnarunt D. Fran. Petre et Mag. Georgius Kendall.

Die 3 mane R.D. Nicol. Skelton.

Die 4ta Theologiam Universam dedicatam Illust. et Rdssmo Episcopo Madaurensi Bonav. Giffard cum illius imagine scupltâ et praefixâ propugnâvit sub Exim. Dno Praeside D. Bernard<sup>a</sup> Tourner Londinensis cum summo omnium applausu.

Die 7 In Angliam discesserunt D. Guliel. Smith et cum eo valetudinis recuperandae causa Jacob<sup>a</sup> Gandie hic Leyburn alumnus peracta Philosophia universa, Edoard<sup>a</sup> Manbie e Rhaetorica et Fran. Howes hic Tourner e Syntaxi.

Lovanium rediit D. Joan Melling et Illus. Comes Rivers. In Angliam rediit Sap. Dn. Simon Rider.

[The reverse of fo. 55 is numbered 60, so that folios 56-59 are non-existent; no pages, however, being missing.]

[p. 60] Adventarunt ad Collegium circa initium mensis duo nobiles pueri Joan. et Thom Belson cum eorum patre qui etiam petiit a Praeside ut hic cum illis per tempus aliquod maneret; annuit Praeses.

Die 16 Accesserunt ad Collegium Gulielmus et Marmad. Maire,\* Franciscus et Robertus Cholmley;† rudimentis operam dant.

Die 17 accessit ad Collegium Gulielm<sup>a</sup> Hassals‡ missa [sic] a D. Apollonia Yates nominatus ad Bursam Revell.

Circa hoc tempus D. Laur. Breers permultas et pergraves querimonias accusationes et manifestas calumnias in Epistola quadam quam tradidit Procuratori nostro Londinensi R.D. Thomae Day, obtulit contra Praesidem et omnes pene hujus Collegii Superiores et magistros. Has autem accusationes falsas et fictas esse testatus est imprimis Erud. D. Willard alias Challoner (contra quem nullam habere poterat exceptionem) in Epistolâ ad eundem Procuratorem Londini, cui subscripserunt unanimi consensu Sacerdotes et professores (non accusati) et omnes omnino Theologi.§

Similes accusationes prius missae fuerant ad Episcopum Atrebatensem et (uti certum videtur) ab eodem D. Breers, vel ab aliquo ejus consilio.

Dom Ult hujus mensis, nulli ex nostris interfuerunt Processioni Parochiali. Ostium quidem Ecclesiae intrantibus e platea apertum erat,

\* See note p. 52 *supra*. William was the future bishop. Marmaduke was his younger brother, born 1708, died at Douay, 22 July, 1720, aged 12.

† Robert and Francis Cholmeley were the second and third sons of Thomas Cholmeley of Brandsby, Yorkshire, and Ann, dau. of Robert Plumpton. Robert was born in 1698, became a doctor of medicine and died unmarried in 1734. Francis, born 11 March, 1706, succeeded to the estates on the death of his eldest brother Thomas in 1742, married Mary, dau. of Edward Ferrers of Baddesley Clinton, and died 26 April, 1780.

‡ William Hassal, younger son of William Hassall of Berrington, Shropshire, gent. Born 1706, ordained 1730, professor of philosophy, first at Douay then at Lisbon. Vice-president of English College, Lisbon. Capitular 1739. Returned to England as chaplain to the Pegge family at Yeldersley Hall, Derby, and died at Burton-on-Trent 3 May, 1741.

§ This letter is printed in Burton's *Life of Bishop Challoner*, Appendix B. ii 285.

ostium vero intrantibus ex collegio clausum. Moniales vero S. Teresiae ne ostium quidem apertum relinquere voluerunt Appellantibus.

*Septemb. 1719.*

Initio hujus mensis, missus est ab Exim. D. Praeside ad Episcopum Brugensem D. R. Thom. Brocholes cum Indulto nostro Apostolico et formâ praesentationis ut examinaret an nostri admitti possent ad Ordines suscipiendos a praedicto Epo. Illum summâ humanitate suscepit praedictus Rdssmus Episcopus, respondit interim se ordines nostris alumnis conferre non posse absque literis commendatitiis ab Illustmo Internuntio Bruxellensi; eo quod a duobus fere annis recepisset Epistolam a quodam qui se Anglicanae missionis superiorem dicebat qua rogabatur ne Anglis quibusvis ordines conferret, et praesertim alumnis Collegii Duaceni se nihilominus paratum esse nostros recipere dummodo haberemus Epistolam ab Internuntio.

Scriptit igitur D. Praeses Epistolam ad Illustmū Internuntium ut dignaretur in nostrum favorem scribere ad Rvrdsmū Episcopum Brugensem sicut in simili occasione prius scripserat ad Tornacensem Episcopum anno superiori. Has Praesidis literas tradidit Bruxellis R.D. Thomas Brocholes.

Qx\* circa hoc tempus promulgavit edictum Galliarū Rex quo declaravit neminem in posterum habiturum pro pecuniis in Banco Regio Parisiis elocatis plus quam tres libras gallicanas annuatim pro Centum, illis vero qui tale lucrum nollent accipere summam principalem solvendam et refundendam fore ante finem hujus anni.

Initio quidem [p. 61] solvebantur sex pro centum; jam ad mediam partem redactus fuit ejusmodi census ex natura sua perpetuus, cum maximo damno illorum qui talem censum constituissent. Et quidem maxima pars pecuniarumstrarum ad bursas ut aiunt pertinentium hoc pacto fuerat elocata. Cum igitur absque nostrâ culpâ diminutae fuerint annuae pensiones, adeo ut non sufficerent nisi ad sustentandum hujusmodi studiosos per spatium sex mensium loco sustentationis annuae, aequum omnino videbatur ut illi, penes quos erat nominatio hujuscemodi studiosorum talia concederent intervalla et interstitia inter discessum unius et admissionem alterius in ejus locum, ut Collegium nullum damnum pateretur per bursas ab amicis et benefactoribus nostris fundatas, certe evidens est nunquam fuisse intentionem benefactorum utiliorum piae fundationes vergerent in ruinam Collegii.

Die 11 hujus mensis recepit Exim. D. Praeses binas Epistolas ab Eminentissimo Cardli Paulutio Summi Pontificis nomine datas die 19 Augusti et missas ad Illustmū Internuntium Bruxellensem tenoris sequentis.

Perillstris et adm. Rde dne. Non sine gravi admiratione intellexit SSS. pater in isto suo Duacensi Collegio morem esse, quo more nunquam alumni accepta a Rectore suo facultate, alio se transferunt ad absolvenda Philosophiae et Theologiae studia quae in vestris Scholis incoeperant. Hanc profecto consuetudinem penitus obliterari vult, eamque ob rem Dominationem tuam, tuosque in Presidentiae munere

\* This seems to be a mark to call attention to this passage. It might be Qx or 2x or merely a sign.



successores certiores facit, sibi placere ut alumni in posterum apud vos solum scientias illas addiscant. Quin etiam ne aliquis eas in Collegio doceat, qui in ipso omnium Studiorum cursum cum laude non confecerit. Pertinet ad vestrū decus ne in docendo praeceptores vestri cuiquam cedere videantur; pertinet rursus ad Sacrarum missionum utilitatem, ad quas non alibi melius quam apud vos formari adolescentes possunt. Haec tibi a SSS. patre, a me omnem officiorum benevolentiaeque significationem habes.

Romae 19 Aug. 1719.

Dominationis tuae

ad officia

F. Cardlis Paulutius.

Praesidi Coll. Pontificio Anglorum Duacensis, Duacum.  
cum Sigillo Cardlis.

Altera Epistola ab eodem Cardli data eadem die mense et anno.

Perillustris et admodum Rde Dne. Displicet SSmo Patri maiorem in modum Alumnos vestros (quod non semel factum audivit) studiorum cursum apud vos incipere, alio deinde facta sibi a Collegii Rectore potestate confectum ire. Id videt injuriosum esse Praeceptoribus, qui ad erudiendos vestros adolescentes adsciti sunt, quasi minus excellent, incommodum ac perniciosum iisdem adolescentibus in sacras missiones instruendis, quo tota se refert istius Pontificii Collegii disciplina [p. 62] nec alibi fortasse eadem habetur. Igitur Sanctitas sua mandat Dominationi tuae, tuisque in posterum Successoribus ne ullo modo ullave de causa, alumni facultas detur migrandi a vestris scholis ad alias qualescunque: sed istic necesse habeant omnem Philosophiae ac Theologiae cursum peragere, Vult etiam ut nemo deinceps doceat in his ipsis vestris Scholis qui in Collegio isto Duacensi educatus non fuerit, in eoque solum suā cum laude dederit operam disciplinis gravioribus addiscendis. Hanc dum tibi defero SSS. patris voluntatem meae quoque erga te propensae certiore facio.

Romae 19 Aug. 1719.

Dominationis tuae.

Ad officia

F Cardlis Paulutius

cum sigillo Cardlis

Dno Witham Rectori Coll.

Pontif. Anglo Duac. Duacum.

Superscriptio prioris erat

Prisri et adm. R.D. Praesidi Coll Pontifu Anglorum Duacensis  
Duacum.

posterioris vero superscriptio.

Plstri et Adm. R.D. Witham Rectori Coll.

Pont. Angl. Duacensis Duacum.

Cum his literis Epistolam misit Illustm<sup>a</sup> et Rdsm<sup>o</sup> Internuntius Vinc.  
Santini his verbis:—

I'obeis aux ordres de Monsgr le Cardl Pauluccy en vous envoyant  
les deux lettres cy jointes dans les quelles vous verrez les mesures qua sa

saintete a trouve bon de prendre pour assurer et augmenter l'avantage que la mission d Angleterre recoit des Ecclesiastiques qui ont ete elevees dans votre College, . . . . . personne ne peut s'offenser. Apres cela un homme sage et qui voit les maux presens de l Eglise n'aura pas grande peine a en diviner les motifs. Sa Saintete m'ordonne de louer le zele et l'attention dont vous gouvernez votre College, et ne doute pas que vous vous conformiez entierement a ces dispositions . . . . . Lordre que Jay de sa saintete de vous donner les justes louanges que vous meritez est par luy meme un eloge qui vaut beaucoup plus que tout ce que Je pourrois dire; ainsi sans y rien ajouter, Je vous prieray seulement de croire que Je suis tous les jours plus avec une veritable consideration et estime.

Mnsr.

Votre tres oblige serviteur

V. Santini Abbe de S. J. Baptist.

A Bruxelles ce 9. Fbr. 1719.\*

Die 16 Brugae iter suscepit Ex. D. Praeses cum ordinandis et cū summa humanitate receptus est ab Illustmo et Rdssmo Dno Van Susteren Episcopo Brugensi et omnes ad ordines sunt admissi. Dictus autem Epus inventa et examinata Epistola quam receperat a duobus annis deprehendit illam Epistolam revera non fuisse scriptam ad Episcopum sicut et ad Episcopum Tornacensem ut Anglis ordines denegarent; sed tamen Hibernis, qui interdum in nullo seminario educati ad ordines se praesentabant. Rogabat igitur Quidam superior Hibernorum ne talibus manus imponerent absque bonis literis commendatiis.

[p. 63] Sabbato 4 Temporum 7 bris ad presbyteratus ordine Brugis promoti sunt D. Joes Bishop Exoniensis, D. Thom. Hawarden Cestriensis, ad Diaconatum D. Bernardus Tourner Londinensis, D. Fran. Petre Londinensis, et D. Edoardus Barlow Cestriensis.

Gandavum postea et Bruxellas profectus est Exim D. Praeses ad Internuntium Bruxellensē cui D. Thom. Abbas Stricklandus tradiderat in scriptis characterem suum a me scriptum in hoc diurnali, mense Augusti an, 1716 et perfidiose ab aliquo exscriptum. Eodē etiam tempore tradidit eidem Illustmo Internuntio duo alia loca ut prætendebat ex eodem hoc diurnali, descripta et *de verbo ad verbum ex Anglico in Latinum translata*; verum initio mensis sequentis Bruxellas venit Exim D. Praeses, et imposturam detexit ut mox videbitur.

Octob<sup>r</sup> 1719.

Circa diem 6<sup>tam</sup> mensis Bruxellas venit Ex. D. Praeses et locutus cum Illustmo Internuntio Santino, agnoscebat characterem Stricklandi quem verum esse profitebatur. Sed quantum ad alia duo loca quae Stricklandus obtulerat attulit secum testimonium authenticum fideliter exscriptum ex Diurnali an. et mensibus notatis, et signatū a Dno. Challoner, a D. Brocholes; et Dno Bulmer quo testati sunt primo totum diurnale scriptum esse non *Anglicano sed latino tantū* sermone et 2<sup>do</sup> nec verba nec sensum duorum locorum quae Stricklandus tradiderat in

\* The letter is here printed exactly as it is given in the Diary, without accents and in faulty spelling.



libro meo inveniri, praesertim vero me non scripsisse Illustmū Internuntium misisse in Angliam declarationem circa juramentum fidelitatis *quam Roma nunquam acceperat* Hoc in malam partem acceperat Rdssm<sup>t</sup> Internuntius et antequam veritatem cognoverat nonnihil contra me commotus fuerat. Sed cum ostendissem testimonium 3 praedictorum sacerdotum, et declarassem me missurum si vellet ipsum diurnale vel permissurum me ut visitaretur ab Exim Dnis Delcourt et de Marcq vel a quibuscq. ipse nominaret acquievit, et sibi plenissime satisfactum esse significavit.

Lovanium deinde profectus est D. Praeses.

Missa est Epistola ab Eminentissimo Dno Protectore Gualterio ad Ex: Dnū Praesidē qua Sanctitatis suae nomine rursum prohibuit ne quis hinc permitteretur transmigrare ad alias Scholas quascunque non completis studiis et ne quis hic Theologiam aut Philosophiam doceret qui alibi his studiis addiscendis operam dedisset.

Literas ad Em Protectorem misit D. Praeses quibus significavit se obtemperaturum in omnibus Sanctitati suae et dignissimo Protectori. Illustmus et Rdssmus Atrebatensis offensus contra Moniales S. Theresiae qui Ecclesiae suae ostium clausuram contra Parochum in processione Dom. ultma Augusti mandatum edidit quo conquestus de injuria facta venerabili sacramento jussitque ut in singulis Ecclesiis parochialibus hujus civitatis feriis 5tis per aliquod tempus daretur benedictio et cantaretur psalm *miserere* cum oratione *Deus qui culpa offenderis*. Venit etiam et Benedictionem solemnī modo dedit in Ecclesia S. Jacobi.

Interim moniales suas defendit R.P. Exprovincialis et pro tempore Prior Carmelitarum discal. Pater Cornelius vir doctus [p. 64] et ab omnibus summo in honore habitus. In litem coram judice Regio hujus civitatis vocavit Pastorem S. Jacobi eo quod violaverat jura et privilegia Monialium *exemptarum* pulsando fores et volendo contra earum consensum intrare in earum sacellum ibique benedictionem dare.—Ostendit etiam nullam factā fuisse injuriam ven. Sacramento sed tantum Schismaticis Appellantibus. Re materius considerata Parochum defendere noluit. Rdssmus Episcopus, imo se male informatum fuisse conqueri coepit. In absentia praesidis apertae sunt Scholae festis Rhemigialibus.

Professores hujus anni Theolog. Exim D. Praeses et R.D. Vicepraeses Dicconsonus. Philosophiae Erud D. Ric. Challoner et ipsi secundarius ejusdem classis R.D. Clem Scot. Et alterius scholae Erud D. Josephus Martin. Rhaeticae, D. Bernardus Tourner; Poeseos. Mag. Green; Syntaxeos, R.D. Hen. Kendall; Grammtcae designatus R.D. Nicolaus Skelton; Rudimentorum rursus R.D. Joannes Meales hic Cornwall.

In Collegio erant 8 seniores et de illorum mensa M. Frocco musicorum magister. 5 professores Humaniorum literarum. 9 Theologi 10 Philosophi prioris classis 6 posterioris, 7 in Rhaetica, 8 in Poesi, 10 in Syntaxi, 16 in Grammatica, 26 in rudimentis. famuli undecim, praeter Dnū Belson qui hic erat convictor et ipsius famulum. In collegio igitur personae omnino 119 viz magistri et studiosi 106, infra Theologiam studiosi 83\*

\* The last two figures in the MS. have been altered. The 119 is made up of 106 professors and students with 11 servants, Mr. Belson and his attendant. The 83 is the total of philosophers and students in the other classes.

Circa initium hujus anni Scholastici accesserunt Mag. Gulielmus Smith ad Theologiam reversus ex Anglia, Joes . . . . Humphries ad Logicam, ad Rudimenta Joannes Whitgrave,\* Benedictus et Gulielmus Wakeman hic Giffard, et Joan; More† Lancastriensis et ante aliquot menses Edoards Bourn Londinensis.

Novemb. 1719.

Die 3tio mensis ad Collegium reversus est Exim. D. Praeses.

Hoc tempore cum sub R. Georgio ejusque ministris satis quieti et tranquilla essent omnia cum Catholicis, tentavit iterum famosus ille Abbas Stricklandus qui ubique profitebatur se amicum esse Regi Georgio et inimicum legitimo Regi Jacobo ad hoc adducere et cogere Catholicos ut agnoscerent praesentem Regem de facto et praesentē Regni statum, et renuntiarent legitimo Regi et Regni Haeredi.

Igitur ab aliquo tempore cum esset Londini communicare voluit sua consilia cum aliquot ex nobilibus et praecipuis Catholicis viz cum Excell. duce Norfolciae, Comite Staffordiae, Baronibus Walgrave et Vicecomite Montis Acuti. cum D. Gulielm. Goring et Joan. Webb. Equitibus Auratis, cum perillustri Carlo Henrico Howard ex familia ducis Norfolciae et D. Stonor. Illis octo proponi voluit binas a se delineatas Epistolas, unam ad Papam, alteram ad Imperatorem: prioris tenor hic erat ut Sum: Pont: dignaretur renovare declarationem a tribus annis missam ad Internuntium Bruxellensem, quā declararet Catholicos in Anglia *posse et debere* agnoscere praesentem Regni statum etc. 2do ut Sanctitas sua mutaret Angliae Protectorem utpote nimium faventem partibus Regis Jacobi. 3 ut revocaret potestatem quam concesserat Regi nominandi Episcopos Catholicos in Hibernia 4to addere voluit ut Sanctitas sua expellere dignaretur Regem ex Statu Ecclesiastico. Summa Epistolae ad Imperatorem erat ut ad haec omnia obtinenda Imperator urgeret Sum. Pontificem.

[p. 65] Ad aliquos ex illis 8 nobilibus venit Stricklandus cum uno ex Secretariis et ab illis postulabant ut statim signarent dictas Epistolas nomine Catholicorum totius regni, si hoc facerent promisit nomine Regis Georgii et ministrorum ejus exemptionem a duplici tributo, libertatem in exercitio religionis, favores etc. quod si hoc recusarent, denuntiabat ipsis persecutiones, executionem legum paenaliū etc. Dicta quoque Abbatis confirmare videbatur secretarius. R[espon]derunt nobiles illi Catho-  
Conatus Abbatis  
Stricklandi.  
 lici rem tanti momenti esse maturius considerandam consulendos esse alios (viz Episcopos) juris peritos, nec posse se pro omnibus Catholicis respondere (noluit autem permittere Stricklandus ut alium quemlibet consulerent, vel secretum hoc cuiquam manifestarent. Respondit praeterea praenobilis D. Carol<sup>us</sup> Howard scribendo ad Sum. Pontif. se obnoxios fore legi paenali quae dicitur *praemunire*, et bonorum confiscationi, cum sub tali poena prohibitum

\* Third son of Thomas Whitgreave of Moseley Court, Staffs., Esq. and Isabella dau. of William Turville of Aston Flamville, Leicestershire, Esq. Younger brother of Thomas already noted, he was born 9 July, 1706 and died unmarried in 1725.

† John More born in Lancashire. His name was usually written Moor. He was ordained in 1731, laboured in Lancashire for over 50 years and died 26 June, 1783.



sit legibus Angliae correspondere cum Papa, neque id negare poterat Secretarius, qui ipsis ante ullam determinationem valedixit. Nihil igitur actum est in hoc congressu, nec literis praedictis subscribere, neque Stricklando responsum dabant. Londino insalutato Stricklando discessit Dux Norfolciac, alii semet ut poterant, excusabant, nullus autem ipsius consiliis consensum praebeuit.

Post diem unum aut alterum citatus est a quibusdam magistratibus Nob. d. Carolus Howard ut iuramenta praescripta a legibus praestaret, viz allegiantiae, abjurationis Regis Jacobi, jurantum contra supremā Papae potestatem in spiritualibus etc. quod ipse facere recusavit. Provincialis quoque Societatis comprehensus est et in custodiam traditus, parum etiam abfuit quin apprehendissent Rdssmum Episcopum Madaurenssem. Haec autem facta fuisse ut terrorem Catholicis incuterent idque Stricklandi consiliis, non dubitabant Catholici.

Bruxellas profectus est Abbas ubi ipsi occurrit Illustmus Thespiensis. Conferebant cum Internuncio Bruxellensi et reversus in Angliam Rdssm<sup>s</sup> Thespiensis Stricklandi consilia recusanda non esse vel recusari saltem non posse contendit, saltem quoad aliquam partem. Dubitare etiam et timere coeperunt nonnulli ob minas ipsis intentatas, ne tutum esset Stricklando resistere, adeoque tentandum putabant si forte contenti essent ministri Regis promissione fidelitatis et obedientiae vel si jurarent se nihil facturos directe vel indirecte contra praesentem Regni statum.

Interim Hannoveriam ad Georgium convolvavit Abbas, a quo se benigne receptum fuisse gloriatur. Non uno in loco praetendit praecipuos Angliae Catholicos a se stare, ipsius consilia (quibus omnes sese opposuerunt) fuisse ab illis approbata. Affirmavit certum se esse Summum Pontificem intra menses Breve editurum quibus praeciperet Catholicis Anglis ut iuramento obedientiam praestarent Regi Georgio. Hanc doctrinam statim ab omnibus esse praedicandam et quantum inquit ad Praesidem Coll. Ang. Duacensis si vel minimum titubaverit vel sanam illam doctrinam suis non statim injunxerit mittetur *par une lettre de cachette* Carcassonam aut ad extremas Galliae partes etc. Ex Germania iterum in Bruxellas venit et in Angliam iterum properavit, brevi illinc profecturis Parisios et Viennam et forte Romam.

[p. 66] Circa medium mensis hujus exim. D. Praeses de praedictis abbatis Stricklandi consiliis certiore fecit Regem Jacobum et procuratorem Cleri Romae agentem D. Laurentium Mayes.

*Decembr 1719.*

Initio mensis hujus liberiori calamo longissimam epistolam ad Rdssmū et Illustmum Internuntium Bruxellensem scripsit et misit Exim. D. Praeses exponens facta et mendacia turbulentissimi istius Abbatis Stricklandi, cujus consiliis nobiles illi Catholici adhaerere omnes ad unum recusaverant. Saltem si unum ex Episcopis nostris excipiamus qui cum ipso fuerat Bruxellis . . . . . Ipsum etiam certiorē fecit, facultates nostrorum audiendi confessiones renovatas fuisse ab Episcopo Atrebatensi, et novum Confessarium viz Dnum Franciscū Squib (hic Petre) musaei praefectum ab ipso jam approbatum fuisse, quamvis a duobus mensibus missus Atrebatum cum literis Dni Praesidis, sine ullo examine domum remissus fuisset.

Exemplar illius Epistolae hic subicere visum est.

*Illustrme et Rdssme Dne.*

Aequo animo (uti spero) feret Excellentia vestra, et pro summa sua humanitate, quam toties expertus sum, ignoscet mihi si ingenue et sincero animo aperiā causas doloris et tristitiae meae quibus vehementer nuper affectus sum, cum cernerem aliorum figmentis de industria excogitatis Ex: V. animū nonnihil a me alienatū fuisse. Nec mirum si verae fuissent accusationes quae ex Diario meo de verbo ad verbum dicebantur desumptae. Recepi Epistolam hac de re Ex. Vestrae Brugis. Probē noveram me nunquam habuisse talem cogitationem scilicet ab Ex: V. publicatam esse declarationem quam Roma non accepisset; adeoq hoc a me nisi in somnis scribi non potuisse. Noveram praeterea totum meum diarium more praedecessorum meorum non Anglicano sed latino dumtaxat idiomate scriptum fuisse, cum tamen iste fratrum suorum accusator, praetenderet duo illa loca citata ex diario fuisse (ut dixit) ex Anglico in latinum de verbo ad verbum translata. Scripsi statim ad Collegii nostri Procuratorem ut ipsum diarium ad me transmittere curaret Bruxellas. Cum autem non haberet opportunam commoditatem volumen satis magnum ad me mittendi, convocatis duobus aliis ex superioribus, fideliter exscripserunt, quicquid mensibus illis notatis ullam omnino haberet connectionem cū re de qua quaestio fuerat. Testati sunt tres illi sacerdotes (fide ni fallor digni) se nihil omnino omisisse quod ad negotium illud pertineret. Ex quibus, ut spero, videt Exc: Vestra accusationem illam falsam plane ac fictam fuisse, sicut et illa quae offendere potuissent Excelltismū Norfolciae ducem aut Rdssmū Episcopum Thespiensem. Non poteram tunc temporis suspicari quam ob rem vel quo consilio haec ficta fuissent, verum arbitror me nunc scire occasionem.

Fuerat paulo ante Londini Abbas ille Normannus cujus aliquoties mentionem feceram in meis ad Illustrmū Dominationem vestram literis. Obtulerat duci Norfolciae cum aliis 3bus primae nobilitatis viris, et 4 aliis inferioris gradūs duas Epistolas stylo regio, ut aiebant scriptas ad Imperatorem et ad Papam [p. 67] (non est dubitandum qui nota fecerit Ex Dno contenta in illis epistolis)\* summa consiliorum ipsius haec fuit, ut obtineretur a sanctitate suae renovatio declarationis circa juramntū fidelitatis missae jam a tribus annis ad excell: vestram, cujus executionem noluit postea urgere Sum. Pontifex. Ut autem adduceretur Excelltss Dnus ad obtinendam dictam declarationem et simul contra me excitaret Ducem Norfolciae et Illusmū Thespiensem, non abs re videbatur fingere me scripsisse, vel etiam Rumorem sparsum fuisse, quasi nulla talis declaratio Roma unquam missa fuit ad Illustrmā Dominationem vestram Hoc ni fallor fuit Abbatis istius consilium et artificium.

Et quoniam de hac re mentionem feci dubitare non possum quin persuadere conatus sit Ex: vestrae, fuisse mentem et consilium Catholicorum quibuscum paulo ante in Anglia fuerat, ut ope ipsius obtineretur renovatio dictae declarationis, cum tamen certissimum sit nihil illo

\* The passage in brackets is given exactly as it is written, but the Editor cannot interpret "Ex Dno." [Ex Diario.—E.N.]



tempore fuisse magis contra mentem et contra Judicium illorum octo nobiliū. Enimvero Respondebant illi 1<sup>mo</sup>, cum satis jam quieti et tranquilla essent omnia, timendum omnino esse ne scribendo ad Sum. Pon. quod legibus Angliae sub poena severissima prohibetur, novam contra se excitarent persecutionem. 2<sup>do</sup> contendebant consulendos esse alios Catholicos, et praesertim Episcopos Sacerdotes et juris peritos; nec posse se pro omnibus Catholicis respondere. 3<sup>tio</sup> asserebant nihil commodi aut emolumenti recepturos Catholicos praestando juramentum fidelitatis aut *allegiantiae* ut dicitur, cum juxta expressum Senatus Anglicani seu *Parliamenti* actum et statutum, obnoxii semper manerent severitati legum, nisi simul praestiterint juramentum abjuratōis Regis Jacobi et omnium successorum Catholicorum regni: deinde juramentum contra *supremam Papae potestatem* etiam in Spiritualibus, ac denique aliud juramentum quo *negarent transubstantiationem* et alios fidei articulos. 4<sup>to</sup> observabant non esse penes Regem et omnes illius ministros (etiāsi id serio et maxime cuperent) eximere Catholicos a legibus poenalib<sup>us</sup> nisi Angliae Parliamentum vellet abolere aut suspendere priora sua statuta, quibus jam praecipiuntur omnia praedicta juramenta. 5<sup>to</sup> admonēbant fore procul dubio inter Catholicos scandala, dissidia, Schismata (uti olim in casu alterius juramenti *allegiantiae*) dum alii parati forent praestare Abbatis juramenta, alii eadem execrarentur: cui addi potest haec ratio quod si semel concedatur ipsis venia praestandi juramentum, a quo hactenus et Catholici et multi etiam Protestantes tantopere exhorruerunt, timendum planē esse, ne simul suscipiant juramentum contra supremā Sum. Pont. autoritatem, et alia contra religionem ut a multis observatum audivi. 6<sup>to</sup> denique omnes illi nobiles rogabant Abbatem, ut abstineret ab illo consilio temerē ineundo, utque ipsis tempus concederetur rem tanti momenti maturius examinandi.

Haec illi tunc temporis, an aliqui ex ipsis mentem suam mutaverint, a tempore quo in Angliam reversus est Illust<sup>iss</sup> Thespiensis, vel hoc ipso tempore cum ex Germania rediens iterū in Angliam profectus sit Abbas noster, haud equidem scio, vehemens etiam erat suspicio seu potius persuasio, omnia quae Abbas ille praeposuit, ex ipsius tantummodo cerebro et inventione [p. 68] profecta esse, vel suggestionē quorundam, qui dolosē abutebantur credulitate et ingenio Abbatis, vel etiam aliorum qui illo utebantur tanquam instrumento ad insidias ipsis efficacius struendas, utque haberent optatam occasionem invadendi Catholicorum patrimonia.

Verum graviter interim conquestus est Abbas S . . . . .d<sup>s</sup> de oppositione ab ipsis facta. Statim minas intentare, persecutiones, bonorum amissionem, Catholicorum ruinam; contra vero si vellent consentire, dulcem libertatem, exemptionem a duplici tributo, aliosque favores, Regis et ministrorum nomine praedicere coepit et praedicare. Et paulo post ipso suggerente ut omnes credunt citatus est praecipuus Abbatis oppugnator ex octo illis nobilibus praenobilis D. Carolus Henricus Howard de Greystoke a quibusdam magistratibus, ut juramenta a legibus praescripta praestaret quod ille, ut debuit, recusavit.

Captus quoque est Provincialis Societatis ad terrorem incutendum,

et parum abfuit quin Episcopum Madaurensem apprehenderent. Hoc in statu res erant cum Angliam reliquit Abbas.

Timebant interim Catholici et etiamnum timent omnes, (saltem si unum ex Episcopis nostris excipiamus) ne sub praetextu illis procurandi simulatos favores, veram et severam (velit nolit) contra ipsos accendat persecutionem. Nec mirum cuiquam videri potest, si causam suam credere nolint homini qui visus est ipsis haec omnia ex privatâ ambitione moliri ut videretur *esse aliquis et aliquis magnus*, non ex zelo religionis (cujus levia admodum incia ipsis praebebat ejus conversatio et vivendi ratio).

Non uno in loco et ante et post reditum a Rege Georgio gloriatus est nihilominus hanc sibi ab Anglo Catholicis demandatam esse provinciam ut ipse ad Imperatorem et ad Papam literas supradictas aut scriberet aut deferret, tanquam omnium Catholicorum in Britannia cum *plena potestate* legatus. Quod ipsemet paulo ante octo personis sub secreti profundi sigillo proposuerat; continere ulterius non poterat et horum nobilium nomina inter conversandum revelat, affirmans (licet oppositum verum esset) de illorum consilio totum hoc negotium susceptum esse et ab ipso transigendum. Ab ore illorum qui cum ipso praesentes erant, scio ipsum non semel asseverasse Sum. Pontificem intra tres menses editurum *Breve* cum permissione et mandato praestandi juramentum Regi Georgio, et cum formula solemni, cui omnes sacerdotes Angli subscribere statim teneantur, non *minus quam Constitutioni Unigenitus* (sunt ipsius verba) adeo ut si quis recusaverit, privandus sit potestate audiendi confessiones si sacerdos, si laicus non absolvendus: Sicque et *tempus* et *formam* et *contenta* Brevis denunciat ea insolita confidentiâ quasi is qui composuit binas illas Epistolas ad Papam et ad Imperatorem, esset etiam compositurus Bullam Pontificiam, Mihi in particulari fatum meum pronuntiat, si, inquit, quoquo modo *titubaverit* iste aut non statim semet submiserit, et sanam doctrinam circa talem obedientiam, suis non praedicaverit, non solum ab officio deponetur sed *par une lettre de cachette pelletur Carcassone* aut ad alias extremas Galliae partes. An hoc efficere possit nescio, sed de sorte mea parum sum sollicitus.

[p. 69] At illud mirum, horrendum et bonis omnibus indignum plane videtur, audire sacerdotem hunc (quamvis sacerdotis functionis magna ex parte ab annis aliquot postposuisse visus sit) audire inquam sacerdotem Anglo-catholicum, nutritum pane Regio cum familia suâ apud San-Germanum, non tantum defendentem partes Regis Georgii et totam ejus familiam, laudibus ad coelum extollentem, sed etiam gravissimis injuriis lacerantem Principem illum omnibus amabilem, legitimum Regni natum haeredem, et regni legibus confirmatum, qui non aliam ob causam nisi ob Catholicae fidei firmitatem, a tribus praedecessorum suorum regnis exclusus agnoscitur: qui nisi obstaret eadem Catholica professio, jamdudum throno Britannico restitutus fuisset ut omnes facile vident: qui tot regnis extorris, a suis et ab exteris derelictus, unicum ab Sum. Pontificâ (qui est ejus religionis zelus) invenit azylum: cujus praeclaras laudes et justa praeconia Clemens XI<sup>us</sup> (quem Deus Opt. Max. diu Ecclesiae Catholicae servet



incolumem) tantâ eloquentiae vi apud S. Petrum Urbi et Orbi praedicavit: cujus denique infortunatam conditionem (nisi causam talis confessoris oculis fidei perpendamus) boni omnes omnium nationum cum summa commiseratione lugent ac deplorant.—Si quidem Abbas iste modestè et nonnisi invitus ob temporum acerbitatem contenderet a Catholicis nostris deserendas esse partes optimi illius Principis: si ob iniquas leges, persecutionis pericula, et imminentem Catholicis ruinam (sive veram hoc tempore sive falsam) monstrare conaretur necessitatem agnoscendi praesentem regni statum, excusandus quodammodo videretur: verum atroces injurias, dicteria ridicula, scommata imperinentia in Principem (aliorum principum ubicunque cognitus fuerit delicias) ore incircumciso toties evomere: ipsi in aerumnis quas ob solam religionis causam animo semper invicto patitur cum affectatione insultare: insuper et gloriari se illa indirecte, ut locutus est, gessisse (sicut nuper jactitare non erubuit coram duobus fide dignis, qui id coram me et aliis testati sunt) gloriari inquam se illa gessisse quae Equitem S. Georgii a regnorum possessione semper impedirent hoc neque excusandum neque ferendum in Anglo, in Catholico, in Sacerdote, in doctore, in Abbate, in Episcopo (si ipsi credimus). Haec sane hominis istius et malitiam, et stultitiam, et portentosam ingratitudinem plane demonstrant. Haec illum omnium Aatholicorum contemptu, omnium Catholicorum odio semper exponent. Certe innumeri sunt, non Catholici sed et Protestantes in tribus Regnis, qui si ipsum (uti solet) loquentem audirent, *breves profecto forent dies illius super terram*. Non haec scribo Illustme Dne, quasi existimem Excellentiam vestram tali patrocinari Abbati: Licet enim ubique gloriatur de Exc: Vestrae erga ipsum non humanitate modo sed et amicitia, quâ omnino indignus ab omnibus judicatur, tamen prudens quispiam facile scire poterit Exc: Vestram, ipsum audire, nec tamen ipsi in omnibus fidem adhibere posse, nedum in omnibus ipsi consentire. Haud equidem scio an haec contra Abbatem hunc pseudo-politicum acerbius dicta videri possint [p. 70] mihi certè et omnibus, ni fallar, nostris et verissima et certissima conspiciuntur abque ejusmodi quae dissimulari nullo modo queunt. Prolixioris epistolae cum omni submissione veniam petit

Excellentissimae dominationis vestrae.

servus humillimus.

E Collegio Anglorum

ac devotissimus

Duaci die 2. 10 bris 1719

R. Witham. Sac. Theol. Doctr  
Coll. Angl. Duac praeses.

Responsum ab Illustmo et Rdssmo Internuntio Santino accepit D. Praeses qua significabat se accurate examinare quae proponantur ab Abbate, sibi cognitum esse hominis ingenium, seque nihil Romam scripturum nisi quod existimaret gratum fore suae sanctitati et habito prius consilio cum Vicariis Apostolicis in Angliâ: praedictam vero Epistolam in malam partem accipere non videbatur.

Ineunte hoc mense Parisios rogatu Praesidis profectus est D. Vice praeses Dicconsonus, ut illic pecuniarum nostrarum curam et administrationem susciperet. Nam ab aliquot mensibus stabilita fuerat Parisiis nova *Indiarum Societas*, quae vulgo de *mississippi* dicebatur.

Incredibile plane incrementum brevi tempore prodixerant *Actiones*, ut vocabantur, hujus *Regiae Societatis* sub directione cujusdam D. Laws Scot: fructum et lucrum immensum multi jam acquisiverant, aliis stupentibus nec quicquam exponere audentibus, cum videretur mysterium seu oenigma quod intelligere non poterant. Praeterea editum fuerat edictum Regis quo declaratum fuerat Regem brevi refundere velle singulis *summas suas principales*, nisi in posterum accipere vellent fructum *trium pro centum* pro pecuniis in priori Banco-Regio etc. Aptus videbatur Vicepraeses (si quis alius) qui examinaret et expiscaretur secreta hujus novae Societatis, et quanam spes esset emolumentum ex dictis Actionibus acquirendi. Ipsius igitur judicio de consensu Praesidis et Procuratoris commissa est administratio pecuniarum collegii.

Die 8 festo Conceptionis Immaculatae V. Mariae juramentum alumnorum Alex. 7<sup>mi</sup> suscepit Gulielmus Bishop ex familia de Brailles Philosophus primi anni, optimae spei juvenis.

Die 19 In Angliam missus est R.D. Joannes Bishop hic Caseley dioecesis Exoniensis inchoato 4<sup>to</sup> Theologiae anno, quem absolvere non poterat ob infirmam valetudinem. Fuerat ille conversus ad fidem Catholicam ab annis sex et hic philosophiâ satis laudabiliter propugnauerat, et partem theologiae. Erat alumnus hujus Collegii per juramentum praestitum die primo anni 1716. Illum ex Collegio quasi invito Praeside evocabant nonnulli in Angliâ.

Die 27. Juramentum alumnorum Pontificiorum praestitit Joannes Collingwood, Rhaetor, Juvenis bonae spei, Lincolnensis.

Nonnulli ex ministris Regis Georgii proponunt duci Norfolciae et aliis Catholicis ut juramentum *Allegiantiae* praestent Regi Georgio et ut scribant ad Sum Pontif. juxta ea quae superius notata sunt. Tempus ad deliberandum petunt Catholici. Decretum Regis Galliae ad reducendas pecunias ad duo per Centum hoc mense publicatum est.

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#### *Appendix.*

[p. 71] Cum jam per 4 annos et sex menses Collegium hoc Angl. Duacenum fuisset sub regimine Ex D. Witham, qui quidem sibi persuadebat regimen suum satis faustum et fortunatum fuisse, persolutis scilicet supra 40 millibus Florenorum creditoribus Collegii, nonnullis etiam pecuniis elocatis, numero Studiosorum (circiter triginta) aucto, disciplinae vigore nullatenus diminuto, magistris in unaquaque schola, melius forte quam ab aliquot annis partes suas implentibus, Procuratore ad hoc munus aptissimo, et Praefecto Generali vigilantissimo, constituto, qui moribus et pietati Studiosorum accurate prospiceret ipsis Studiosis pacifice se gerentibus, nec de ulla re conquerentibus, saltem magis quam quovis alio tempore, cum inquam sibi blandiretur Praeses omnia in collegio quoad disciplinam, pietatem, studia, res temporales in bono statu esse, primo repente Epistolam recepit Praeses ex Angliâ a Dnâ quadam nobili . . . . . qua conquerebatur de diminuta portionum carnis quantitate, de cibo et potu insalubri etc. et de his omnibus se certiores factam fuisse dicebat a fide dignis vel saltem a fide digno, Mirabatur Praeses, et de hac re publice in refectorio conquestus est, et



quidem majori confidentiâ, quia certus sibi videbatur cibos aut potum nunquam fuisse meliores, et Procuratore et culinae praefecto examinato, omnino constabat solitam cibi quantitatem omnibus concessam fuisse, etsi culinae praefectus haud satis diligens fuisset prospiciendo aequalitati portionum cum distribuerentur ministrantibus ad mensam. Omnes autem in Collegio negabant se tale quippiam scripsisse et authorem talis mendacii condemnabant.

Erat hic quidam sacerdos D.B.—\* quem Praeses (erga quem profitebatur singularem amicitiam) hic admiserat in locum Confessarii et praefecti musaei, contra consilium aliorum, non tantum in Collegio, sed et in missione, quibus perspecta fuerat hominis istius indoles inquieta, melancholica, irarum et querelarum plena, in omnibus locis et familiis in quibus in missione fuerat. Hic officii sui pertaesus, animo et corpore infirmus, in Angliam redire cupiebat; annuit facile Praeses. Fuerat hic etiam per menses tres aut 4 D.H.—T.—† homo magis astutus quam sincerus, rerum quarandam historicarum scrutator, libellaticus, qui videri saltem voluit author historiae Colleg. Ang. duaceni et 24 Epistolarum Provinc. contra Jesuitas, mansit hic ut colligeret fragmenta quaedam et adjumenta ex libris et manuscriptis ad historiam pseudo reformationis Anglicanae et omnium Collegiorum et monasteriorum Anglorum in partibus transmarinis. Composuerat etiam libellum reflectionum moralium in Evang. totius anni quem libellum examinari seu potius approbari voluit a D. Praeside, qui quidem cum legisset partem illius non pauca observavit quae mutatione et correctione videbantur indigere, verum nullam rationem habere videbatur correctionum Praesidis, quare Praeses, nihil amplius legere voluit istius libelli, quem proinde tradidit in manus Patris cujusdam Franciscani, qui lecto libro et quaedam animadvertens quae vix excusari poterant ab erroribus Quesnellii [p. 72] semet igitur excusabat ab approbatione libri, nisi simul D. Praeses vellet cum eo librum examinare corrigere et tandè approbare. Praeses autem cum doceret utramque Theologiae lectionem respondit sibi non esse tempus illum examinandi, sicque libellus iste in hac urbe imprimi non poterat. Hoc autem gravissimè tulit R.D.T.— ut postea magis constabat.

Nam cum in Angliam profecti essent illi duo sacerdotes statim D. B.—s, ab aliquibus ex nostris in Anglia *Spinus* dictus, gravissimas accusationes fabricavit contra D. Praesidem, Procuratorem, Praefectum, R.D. Scot nunc Philosophiae professorem, affirmabat Praesidis culpâ, qui plus nimio omnibus indulgebat, penitus enervatam et collapsam esse Collegii disciplinam pietatem, doctrinam, nihil reliquam esse Spiritus Ecclesiastici, magistros praesertim humaniorum literarum esse omnino inidoneos, eorumque discipulos rudes et ignaros, omnes fere in Collegio computationibus vacare etc. Haecque etiam in scriptis dedit Procuratori nostro R.D. Day qui misit ad nos exemplar illius scripti. Similes accusationes missae sunt ad Episcopum Atrebatensem, nec ab alio (uti versimile est) quâ a Dno illo Spinoso. De iisdem accusationibus certior factus est Abbas ille Stricklandus, qui illas lubens detulit ad Illustrismû

\* Laurence Breres. See note p. 11 *sup.*

† Hugh Tootell *alias* Dodd.

Internuntium Bruellensem Santinum. Dixerat quippe hic Spinosus se coelum et terram moturum ut Praesidem et Procuratorem ab officiis suis amoveret.

Itaque post regimen hactenus tranquillum gravem contra se tempestatem excitatam sensit Ex. D. Praeses; praeterea haud leviter offensi erant Doctores Parisienses et omnes in Seminario Parisiensi, quasi author fuisset Praeses prohibitionis Pontificiae ne alumni nostri mitterentur Parisios, aut hic docerent, si illic studuissent. Rumor etiam sparsus fuit inter nostros in Anglia, quasi mutata fuisset a nobis antiqua Collegii doctrina in Theologia, in gratia et in moralibus, et quasi amplexi fuisset dogmata Jesuitarum, et nimiam haberemus familiaritatem cum istis patribus et aliis Religiosis.

Peropportune huc venit Exim. et Sapientissimus Magister Simon Rider D<sup>r</sup> Sorbonicus, Capituli Anglicani decanus, qui praesens fuit et interfuit disputationib<sup>us</sup> Praesidis ad Doctoratum et etiam Thesisbus de Sacramentis et Universae Theologiae quibus praesidebat Ex. D. Praeses. Examinavit etiam rogatu Praesidis themata et exercitia Humanistarum, et singula qua vel ad disciplinam, vel ad studia spectabant. Moratus hic saltem per mensem cum omnia in bono statu reperisset, in Angliam reversus accusationibus et calumniis Spinosi quoad poterat ubique contradixit. Scripsit etiam de consilio Ex. D. Rider Epistolam Erud. Dn. Challoner hic Willard (contra quem nullam exceptionem habere poterat Spinosus) ut ipse fatebatur: in hac autem Epistolâ egregie defendit famam et honorem Praesidis Procuratoris etc. ostendens falsissimas fuisse accusationes Spinosi et etiam sine omni specie veritatis. Scripsit etiam in Angliâ D. Emanuel Christmas, nunc Parisiis et nuper praefectus Generalis et inter alia testatus est anno praeterito cum Praeses ipsū objurgasset [p. 73] quasi non satis invigilaret moribus studiosorum se adivisse cubiculū D. Spinosi, ut de rebus occurrentibus cum ipso loqueretur et D. Spinosum tunc respondisse, *se nunquam cognovisse Collegium in tam bono statu quoad disciplinam et reliqua omnia sub prudenti regimine D. Praesidis, quamvis hic vixisset sub Dno Smith et praefectus generalis fuisset sub Dno Paston*. Scripsit quoque non minori zelo ad vindicandum Praesidem et Collegiū R.D. Richardus Kendal tunc in Anglia et hic nuper Sacr. Theol. professor praefectusque Studiorum. Haec autem duo posteriora testimonia a viris non tantum fide dignis, sed qui favere nollent Praesidi (si quid justè reprehendendum erat) plurimum conferebant ad omnes illas calumnias dissipandas. Epistola etiam D. Challoner subscripta et signata fuit ab omnibus Sacerdotibus et theologis. Varias etiam literas scripsit Exim. D. Praeses ad D. Day et ad alios in Anglia quibus sigillatim respondit calumniis Spinosi (Et revera et Praeses et alii hic ex animo et serio existimabant ne unam quidem rem verè narratam fuisse in longissima accusationum Epistolâ Spinosi. Illustm<sup>us</sup> et Rdssm<sup>us</sup> D. Episcopus Madaurensis statim omnibus declaravit accusationes Spinosi esse melancholici hominis figmenta et mendacia. Alii (ut videtur) omnes sibi satisfactum esse fatebantur et Spinosum condemnabant. Et quidem Exim D. Rider ante finem anni scribens ad Exim D. Praesidem testatus est nullam malam de nobis opinionem



adhaesisse mentibus saltem amicorum, sarcinam vero odii in humeris suis portare Spinosum etc.

Interim suspicatus est haud immerito Praeses has accusationes non a solo Spinoso sed potius ab altero Hug: T: qui hic fuerat, aut saltem ejus consilio fabricatas fusisse. Et primo quidem interrogatus hac de re a Procuratore nostro Londinensi dictus H—— T—— respondit accusationes Spinosi nullius plane momenti esse vel ut loquebatur Stramineas esse, verum postea detecta larva, apertè se adversarium Praesidis declaravit tanquam inidoneus esset cui committeretur Collegii gubernatio etc. Lms Abbas S—— confessus est Bruxellis se habuisse a duobus sacerdotibus (id est ut videtur) ab illis duobus superius jam designatis, informationes seu accusationes quas obtulit Illustmo Internuntio. Ad vindicandū autem Praesidem et alios communis Epistola missa est signata a Vicepraeside senioribus etc. ad Rdssmum Internuntiū, cum quo etiam libere locutus est Exim D. Praeses, cui declaravit Internuntias ejusmodi *accusationes si intrassent per unam aurem exiisse per alteram*. Haec erant hac de re ipsius verba ad Praesidem.

Similiter ad diluendas objectiones et calumnias missas ad Rdssmum Atrebatensem Epistolam expurgatoriam scripsit Exim. D Praeses, qui ante finem mensis 9 bris literas humanitatis plenas remisit ad Praesidem, ffacultates nostrorum renovavit et novum confessarium approbavit, adeo ut visus sit omnino judicare illis criminationibus nullam fidem adhibendam esse.

Finis an. 1719.

[p. 74].

Anno 1720.

Januar.

Initio anni et mensis hujus literas accepit Ex. D. Praeses a Procuratore Londinensi quibus significabat se epistolam recipisse a D.T——tle [*in margin* seu H——t] qua ipsum admonebat ut suadere conaretur Praesidi officiū suum pacifice dimittere, alioquin inquit, brevi se expellendum fore sciat. Minas has contempsit Praeses quamvis enim non ignarus esset sibi graviter iratum esse Abbatem Str——, ipsumque apud principes aliquos plurimum posse, adeoque timendum esse ne ipsis imponeret, cum tamen nullius culpaе conscius esset, eligeret potius artibus ejus expelli quam in illis circumstantiis officio suo se abdicare.

Die 11 mensis huc accesserunt Joannes Walpool qui prius hic studuerat usque ad finem poeseos et in Angliam profectus fuisset et Ignatius Conran; uterque ad Rhætoricam, posterior Hibernus Insulis studuerat.

Die 15 In Anglicanam missionem profectus est R.D. Nicolaus Skelton Carliolensis Diocesis absoluto theologiæ quadriennio, pius et doctus, discessit autem ob malam valetudinem. Grammaticae professor in cujus locum suffectus magister Rob. Kendal, Theologus primi anni, cum ipso etiam discessit ob malam valetudinem Joes Maire e poesi.

Literas ex Anglia accepit Praeses interruptum saltem esse consilium Abbatis Stricklandi eo quod peritissimi Juris consulti declarassent esse crimen læsae majestatis non solum subscribere ejusmodi Epistolae qualem dictus Abbas et Illustsmus Episcopus Thespiensis volebant Catho-

Consilium Ablatum  
reddidit Episcopos  
et alios Catholicos

ipsis consentientes reos laesae majestatis. lici Romam ad Summū Pont. mitterent sed etiam proponere dictam Epistolam. Hinc Norfolciae Dux et alii nobiles occasionem nacti sunt semet excusandi quominus illorum consentirent consiliis. Interim gravia scandala et dissidia cum quadam persecutione orta sunt.

Epistolam accepit Praeses a serenissimo Rege Jacobo ipsius manu scriptam cum magna benevolentiae significatione et aliam ab Emntssmo Protectore Cardli Gualterio, quibus Praesidi gratias referebant quod ipsos de pernicioso Abbatis Stricklandi consiliis certiores fecerat. Literas iterum ad eosdem die 18 va remisit Romam Ex. D. Praeses.

Dispensationem ab Emn. Protectore recepit Praeses ut magister Jacobus Maxwell hic Brown Scotus in alumnum reciperetur praestando juramtū praescriptum ab Alex 7 mo.

Literas ultima die mensis recepit Praeses a D. Secretario Regis D. Nairne et a Dno Mayes. Serenissimus Angliae Rex scribi jussit ad Illustm et Rdssmum Episcopum Madauremsem in quo se maximam fiduciam collocare affirmabat, ut ipse consiliis et autoritate sua Catholicos in officio suo et erga ipsum obedientiā retinere conaretur. Graviter ex Anglia conquestus fuerat idem Illustm<sup>s</sup> Madaurensis supradicta non tantum a Stricklando sed etiam ab Episcopo Thespiensi gesta fuisse inconsultis reliquis Vicariis Apostolicis. Nonnulli Catholici timore persecutionis adhaeserunt iis quae ab Abbatibus istis<sup>\*</sup> proponebantur, verum pars Catholicorum longe maxima illis consentire recusabat. Et cognito crimine laesae majestatis omnes subscriptiones suas retraxerunt et revocarunt.

*Februar. 1720.*

[p. 75] Die 2dā huc ex Anglia accessit Thomas Holford, rudimentis operam daturus.

Die 5 hinc discessit D. Mauritius Belson Armiger qui hic vixerat ut convictor a mense Augusto pxē elapso. illum Parisios comitatus est Dnus Thom Brocholes procurator qui huc reversus est die 23tio.

Die 9<sup>a</sup> habitae sunt disputationes Philosophiae naturalis; respondebant mane Thomas et Georgius Markham fratres, a meridie Gulielmus Paston, Jacobus Porter, sub. R.D. Clemente Scott.

Die 10 continuatae sunt sub eodem Professore; respondebant Basilius Bartlet Gulielmus Jones hic Collington. a meridie Edoardus Dicconson, Henricus Parry.

In Angliam nuper Brugis profectus fuerat Nobilis D. Edoardus Blount vir praestantis ingenii et qui ex familiaritate quam contraxerat cum quibusdam ex ministris Regis Georgii plurimum ut videbatur apud ipsos pollebat. Hic statim conatus est persuadere ministris R. Georgii ut contenti essent promissione seu juramento simplicis obedientiae, qua promitterent Catholici se quiete et pacifice victuros sub praesenti Regni Possessore, existimabat etiam Catholicos ad conservanda sua patrimonialia in his circumstiiis in quas adducti jam fuissent a Stricklando, posse praestare juramentum ut dicebatur simplicis allegiantiae, quo quidem juramento ipsi et alii multi Jurisperiti et Theologi putabant nihil aliud

\* Abbot Strickland and Bishop Stonor are referred to as Abbots in the plural, because Bishop Stonor was also titular Abbot of Jard, though not himself a regular.



significari nisi iuramentum vivendi pacifice et nihil moliendi contra praesentem Regni statum, hocque ostendere conabantur hoc argumento quod Catholici prohiberentur legibus arma sumere etiam in favorem Regis Georgii et aliunde compellebantur tributa praestare: ergo in-quiunt illi, Catholici etiam praestito iuramento allegiantiae ad nihil aliud possunt obligari nisi ut pacifice se gerant. Dns Blount in his circumstantiis acquieverunt et adhæserunt plerique Catholici tum ex laicis tum ex Sacerdotibus tam saecularibus quam Regularibus, tametsi interim aversi manerent a iuramento abjuracionis, quod tamen licitum esse volebant et Strickland\* et ex communi omnium fama etiâ E[piscopos] Th[espiensis] cum his autem consilia sua communicare nolebat D Blount uti ad me scripsit. Stricklandi quoque consilia improbabat Illustmus Internuntius Bruxellis et ipsi iratus dicitur quod suo nomine et autoritate falso usus fuisset in Anglia. plurimum quoque et apud Regis Georgii in Anglia ministros et ubique minui videbatur Stricklandi malis artibus acquisita autoritas.

Consilium D. Blount et aliorum Catholicorum circa iuramentum obedientiae aut allegiantiae propositum fuit multis de Parlamento Anglicano, plurimis magnopere displicuit imo aliqui ex ipsis volebant accusationem laesae majestatis intentari contra duos Abbates propter Epistolam ab ipsis propositam ad sum. Pontificem contra leges Angliae. Saltem non videtur verisimile D. Blount et Catholicos quicquam obtinere posse, durante hac Parlamenti sessione, neque apparet probabile Parliamentum ullum concessurum favorem Catholicis nisi praestare velint omnia iuramenta a legibus praescripta quin potius timenda videtur persecutio ex temerariis Abbatum consiliis.

Discessit Edoardus Commerford, e schola Poeseos.

Literas Roma accepit Praeses quibus certior factus est Epistolâ suâ ad Internuntiū\* Bruxellensem traditam fuisse jussu Regis Angliae et Protectoris SSS. Patri et ab illo missâ esse ad Congregationē Cardliū, simulque aliam Epistolâ quam ad ipsū sum. Pontif. de iisdem negotiis Praeses scripserat. Exemplar illius Epistolae habetur in scrinio nostro.

*Marl, 1720.*

[p. 76] Die 5, huc accessit nob. D. Radulpus Standish de Standish morti condemnatus eo quod fuerat cum Comite de Darwenwater ad Prestonium in Lancastria. Accessit autem ut videret hic duos filios et natu majorem hinc in Angliam secum abduceret.

Die 6ta Epistolam recepit Ex. D. Praeses a D. Davide Nairne, Regi nostro Jacobo a secretis, qua iterum nomine Regis gratias egit Praesidi ob zelum et literas scriptas; certiore fecit Praesidem, quae scripta fuerant Romam et praesertim exemplar suprapositae Epistolae Praesidis ad Internuntium Bruxellensem de Stricklandi consiliis ostensam fuisse SSS. patri per Emntsmū Protectorem Regis nomine. Summo Pontifici vehementer displicebant quae gesta fuerant a Stricklando, promisit vero Sanctitas sua se\* nullam daturam aut renovaturam declarationem circa iuramenta praestanda Regi Georgio, sed scripturū tum ad Imperatorem tum ad Serenissimum Galliae Regentem in favorem Catholicorum Angliae ut impedire conarentur ne ulla ob mala consilia Stricklandi excitaretur in Anglia persecutio.

\* In MS. written *de* by error.

Discessit hinc 13 cum patre suo Radulphus Standish.

Die 12 orationem panegyricam de S. Gregorio apd Benedictinos habuit Praeses.

Die 21 in transitu nos invisit nobilis Dnus Georgius Jernegam.\*

Die 23 Mandatum recepit Ex. D. Praeses ab Illustmo Epo Atrebatensi his verbis, " Nous Eveque d' Arras defendons tres expressement a tous " les confesseurs du College des Anglois de la ville de Douay, d' entendre " en confession pendant la quinzain de Paques de l'anne presente, les " Ecoliers, les Pensionnaires et les domestiques ou autres personnes " seculiers demeurant dans la maison ou monastere des Benedictins " Anglois de la ditte ville de Douay, et tous Anglois Ecossois et Hibernois " sans permission par escrit de leur Cure. fait a Arras le 23 Mars 1720."

+Guy Eveque d Arras,  
par ordonnance

Hatteville.

Die 24 misit Praeses Epistolam et Dnū Brocholes procuratorem ad Rdssmū Episcopum ut sciret quā de causā tale mandatum particulare ad nos misisset, cum non esset generale mandatum omnibus Confessariis sive diocesis sive Urbis Duacenae sed nobis tantummodo, et Confessariis in Collegio Scotorū et Capellano cohortis Hibernorum. Existimavimus etiam nihil aliud prohiberi ejusdi mandato nisi ut nulli Confessarii Angli, Scoti aut Hiberni audirent Scholares vel domesticos Benedictorū Anglorum inter quos et Episcopum et Pastorem lis erat eo quod Scholares eorum communionem non receperant aliis annis in Ecclesia Parochiali. Quorundam suasu Epistolam Praesidis Episcopo non tradidit D. Brocholes sed collocutione habitā cum Episcopo hanc tantum obtinere potuit responsionem, se generalem dedisse prohibitionem nostris, Scotis, et Hibernis, ne ullum audirent harum nationum hoc paschale ne speciali modo offenderet Benedictinos. Coacti igitur sumus inviti licet, generalem permissionem petere a Parocho quam libenter concessit his verbis.

" Moy sousigne ay donne a Messieurs Thomas Brocholes, Richard " Challoner, Joseph Martin et Francois Squib la permission de confesser " pendant la quinx-ain de Paque de l'anne [p. 77] presente leurs Ecoliers " pensionnaires et tous les Anglois, Ecossois, Hibernois qui se presenteront " et seront de la ditte paroisse, J. Billecocq cure de la Paroisse S. Jacques " de Douay. fait a Douay le 23 de mars 1720.

Data est haec permissio. die 25 licet Parochus apposuerit diem 23 tiam.

Die 26 huc accessit Gulielm<sup>s</sup> Sackville filius Thom et Elizabeth Dorwell missus et nominatus ad Bursam seu pensionem D. Gulielmi Bloomer a perillustri Dna Webb.

Die 31 Juramentum alumnorum suscepit Mag. Jacobus Maxwell hic Brown† natione Scotus sed cum dispensatione Protectoris.

\* Second son of Sir Francis Jerningham of Costessey Park, Norwich, and Anne dau. of Sir George Blount of Sodington, Bart. He was born 1680 and succeeded to the baronetcy in 1737, died 21 Jan., 1774.

† He was ordained in 1722, remained at Douay as a professor till 1729 when he became chaplain to the Hon. Philip Howard at Buckenham House, Norfolk, where he died after nearly fifty years ministry 26 Oct., 1778. He became a capitular in 1748.



Die 31<sup>mo</sup> Tornaci ad Sacerdotium ordinati sunt Bernardus Tourner et D. Franciscus Petre, ad Subdiaconatum promoti D. Georgius Kendal et D. Gulielmus Maire. ad minores ordines Mag. Rob. Kendall.

*April. 1720.*

Die 3<sup>ta</sup> discessit Gulielmus Paston nobilis e 2<sup>do</sup> Philosophiae anno natu maximus primo Insulas et postea ad alias Flandriae partes jussu patris. Eodem die valetudinis recuperandae gratia in Angliam ad tempus profectus est Gulielmus Bishop, Philosophus primi anni et alumnus optimae spei juvenis ex familia de Brailes in comitatu Warwicensi.

Hoc anno Alumni et Convictores nostri non receperunt sacram communionem in Ecclesia Parochiali S. Jacobi sed vel in Ecclesia S. Petri vel alibi cum enim patres Oratorii essent de numero Appellantium ad futurum concilium et Parochus ipse vel esset de illo numero, vel saltem non recepisset Constitutionem *Unigenitus* etiamsi nuper illam recepisset Eminentissimus Cardlis de Noailles Archiepus Parisiensis et pax quaedam inita fuisset inter Cardinales et Episcopos Gallicanos, hinc Praeses consilio habito cum plerisque sanae doctrinae viris et omnibus consentientibus nostros non posse absque gravissimo scandalo in Ecclesia nostra Parochiali sacram synaxim sumere per alios clam monuit omnes ne in eadem Ecclesia ab istis hominibus communionem acciperent. Neque enim Ecclesiasticum praeceptum communicandi in Ecclesia parochiali obligare censetur cum tali incommodo et scandalo, imo manifestū erat alibi in his circumstantiis quaerendam esse sacram communionē.

Die 4 literas hac de re ad Illustmum Internuntium Bruxellensem misit Exim. D. Praeses.

Die 2<sup>da</sup> mensis hujus primitias suas Deo obtulit R.D. Bernardus Tourner, hic Laurentius Samuel, Dioec: Lond: mane hora 6<sup>ta</sup> sine cantu et eadem die hora 1<sup>ma</sup>\* solemniter cum cantu R.D. Fran: Petre hic Andrews diocesis Londinensis.

Circa medium mensis Mandatum publicavit Illustm. Atrebatensis jubens ut omnes communionem reciperent in Ecclesiā suā Parochiali qui id omisissent facere, concedens ipsis usque ad Dncā SSS. Trinitatis, quo tempore elapso in mandatis daret Promotoribus suis ut eos canonicis paenis prosequerentur, monens interim eos si morerentur non habituros Xtianā sepulturā.

Circa 20 mensis rationes suas humili remonstratione exposuerunt praecipui de parochia ob quas juxta dictamen conscientiae suae non poterant communicare in sacris cum hujusmodi Appellantibus, et rogaverunt Episcopum ut sua autoritate Capellano concederet ut ipse sacrā communionē adminstraret, sicut alias facere consueverat. Scripsit etiam ad Episcopum [p. 78] Praeses ostendens se neque tuta conscientia neque absque Collegii ruina permittere posse ut Alumni Pontificis et Convictores in sacris communicarent cū Appellantibus; interim malle se carere Xtiana sepultura quam conscientiae suae maculam inferre.

Die 26 in missionem profectus est Erud D. Josephus Martin sacrae Theol. Licentiatus per 5 annos Philosophiae professor et per duos fere

\* It is so written in the MS, but probably "hora 10<sup>ma</sup>" is intended.

annos confessarius, discessit vero invitatus ab Illustmo Episcopo Stonorio et D. Josep Martin ostendit Praesidi Epistolam scriptam ut ipse testabatur jussu Episcopi Stonori, in qua dicebatur non esse necesse ut Rdssm<sup>s</sup> Episcopus scriberet ad Praesidē Collegii sed sufficere quod Dns Martin esset de districtu dicti Episcopi et quod ab eo evocaretur ad locum in missione. Respondit Praeses non esse penes Episcopos in Anglia sacerdotes ex Collegio evocare; e contra vero Sacerdotes a prima Collegii fundatione semper missos fuisse et mitti deberi a Praeside ut satis indicat juramentum quod ab ipsis accipitur. Interim rogavit Praeses D. Martin an cuperet ipse proficisci in missionem, et cū hanc esse ipsius mentem cognovisset permisit ut hinc discederet, sed dedit Epistolam eidem Dno Martin qua testatus est se nullam habiturum fuisse rationem istius Epistolae Illustmi Episcopi Stonor nisi ob alias causas visum fuisset ipsum mittere, noluit autem dispensare cum ipso ut abiret priusquam octo dierum exercitium fecisset, et tunc ipsi facultates concessit.

Discessit cum illo in Angliam Nob. dns Mauritius Belson qui hic apud nos aliquandiu hospitabat cum duabus filiabus suis, quae fuerant in monasterio de Pratis.

*Maii. 1720.*

Die 1 scripsit ad Illustmū Internuntiū Bruxellensem Vincent. Santinum Exim D. Praeses circa communionem Paschale etc.

Die 10 discessit hinc, absoluta fere Philosophia, Nob. D. Ed. Blount Baronetus de Mawley in comitatu Vigorniensis: discessit ā Gandavum ibi expectaturus Tutorem suum.

Die 15 ad collegiū accesserunt Jacobus et Thomas Smith nobiles juvenes e comitatu Hamptoniensi nepotes Illustmi Epi Smith cū illis venit R.D. Rob. Hills missionarius brevi rediturus, et cū illis dn<sup>s</sup> Joseph<sup>s</sup> Horton.

Die 22 Hinc discesserunt D. Gulielm<sup>s</sup> Smith Comit. Hamptoniae jam natu maximus et D. Philippus Marham armigeri hic de comitatu Notinghamiae cum tutore suo dno Horton Parisios.

Discessit circa hoc tempus Ignatius Conran Hibernus.

Die ultimo mensis accesserunt ad Collegiū Joannes Wilkinson<sup>\*</sup> et Gulielmus Foster† e comitatu Lancastriensi.

Ex Anglia ante finem mensis discessit Abbas Strickland<sup>s</sup>.

*Jun. 1720.*

[p. 79] Die 9 discessit Parisios Nob. D. Ed. Blount Eques auratus de Mawley cum tutore suo R.D. Mullineux.

Die 11 post meridiem Logicam sub R.D. Clem Scot. propugnarunt Joes Humphrys et Thomas Atkinson.

Die 12 mane Clemens Paston et Thomas Wollascot. Eadem die horis pomerid. Gulielm<sup>s</sup> Thornburge solus et cum applausu non vulgari.

\* In this Diary he is sometimes called John, sometimes Thomas. His real name was John. Born in Lancashire 1703, ordained priest 1728, chaplain to Augustinian Nuns, Paris, from 1741 to 1771 when he died, on 19 March.

† After ordination in 1730 remained at Douay as Prefect, and Confessor till 1736 when he went to England. Died at York shortly after Sept 1754.



Die 13 hinc discessit Michael Tunstall\* Eborac: e Grammatica.

Die 27 huc accessit Joan. Hankin† de Castello novo comitatus Northumbriae.

Die 29 accessit Joan. Sayre de Yarum com. Eboracensis.

Die 24 in festo S. Joannis Baptistae juramentum praestitit Gulielmus Jones‡ Londinensis Philosophus 2di anni.

*July, 1720.*

Accessit die 2da hujus mensis nobilis puer 13 annorum Joannes Wolf hic Pinchon rudimentis operam daturus. Cum eo nos invisit R.D. Brian: Kennet sacerdos et alumnus hujus collegii.

Discesserunt die 8va Basilius Bartlet de Hillend, absoluta philosophia, et Thomas Wollascot finito primo Philosophiae anno.

Die 10 Parisiis reversus est R.D. Dicconson Vicepraeses.

Die 15 Philosophiam universam sub Erudistmo Dno Rich. Challoner mane propugnavit latine et graece Henricus Parry et a meridie Georgius Markham.

Die 16 mane similiter Philosophiam propugnavit Thom. Markham.

Die 17ma continuatae sunt disputationes Philosophiae; mane propugnante Jacobus Porter hic Goring, et a meridie Edoardus Dicconson Vicepraesidis nepos.

Die 19 reversus est in Angliam R.D. Brian: Kennet.

Die 23 et 24 Habitaee sunt disputationes publicae de Actibus humanis, Peccatis, Legibus, Gratia, Virtutibus Theologicis, Praeside Ex. D. Rob Witham, etc.; respondentibus hoc ordine D. Georg. Kendall, D. Gulielmo Maire, D. Jacobo Brown, D. Fran: Petre.

Die 22 ex hac vita discessit Marmaduk§ Maire filius Thom Maire de Lartington in Com. Eborac: Armigeri et Mariae Farmer§ puer 12 annorū pius et optimae indolis.

Die 26 in Angliam discessit Clemens Paston absoluto primo philosophiae anno.

*Aug. 1720.*

[p. 80] Literas accepit Ex D. Praeses ab Episcopo Madaurensi et a Procuratore nostro Londinensi quibus significabant quantis laudibus Collegiū ejusque disciplinam ornavant duo missionarii qui hic fuerant per duas vel tres hebdomadas et omnia accuratissime examinassent viz. R.D. Brian Kennet et D. Rob. Hills. his igitur verbis rescribat Rdssm<sup>s</sup> Madaurensis suprad'cti "notam fecerunt excellentem disciplinā observatam in vestro Collegio, ita ut nemo jam audeat contra vos musitare," etc. Et saepe, inquit, mihi protestatus est D.D. Barker se minimam quidem habere exceptionem contra Praesidem illiusque gubernationem licet de aliis quibusdam in Collegio non tam plenē sibi constet etc.

\* Son of Captain George Tunstall and Martha his wife. Captain Tunstall was son of Francis Tunstall of Ovington, York, who was a younger son of Marmaduke Tunstall of Scargill Castle, Yorks. Michael married Ann daughter and coheir of William Witham of Preston-upon-Tees, esq., and had two sons. See under year 1750.

† After ordination in 1731 he became missionary at Sunderland, but his house and chapel were plundered by a mob in 1743 and he retired to Witton Shields where he laboured till 1772 when he retired to Douay. Died at S. Omer's in 1782.

‡ Ordained 1725; died 31 Dec., 1735, place of his ministry unknown.

§ Farmer so written here for Fermor.

Die 5ta huc accessit Robertus Houssey puer annorum undecim Hibernus rudimentis operam daturus.

Die 13 in missionem Anglicanam profectus est R.D. Edoard<sup>a</sup> Dicconson Vicepraeses et alumnus hujus Collegii per juramentum die 8 Mar. an. 1699 qui primo Procuratoris officio per octo circiter annos functus est, deinde litteras humaniores Philosophiae cursum et Theologiam aliquot annis docuit, et munus Vicepraesidis per sex annos gessit, simulq fuerat Confessarius. In Angliā vero discessit rogatu Dni Giffard de Chillington cum eo absoluto Philosophiae cursu reportatā prima Philosophiae palmā in Angliam profectus ex D. Ed: Dicconson, haeres de Whrightington in comitatu Lancastriae.

Die 14 Accesserunt duo juvenes viz. Nob. Georgius Clifton\* filius Gervasii Clifton Baroneti in comitatu Nottingamiae puer 11 annorum et Robertus Halloway ex comitatu Lancastriae. Illos huc adduxit R.D. Joannis Shuttleworth alias Sanderson hujus Collegii alumnus qui post dies aliquot in Angliam est reversus.

Die 24 huc accesserunt duo juvenes Edoardus Kitchin† Lancastriensis et Thomas Rawden‡ alias Roydon Eboracensis, uterque rudimentis operam daturus. Cum illis ex Anglia reversus est magister Jacobus Gandy recuperata valetudine hujus Collegii alumnus.

*Septemb. 1720.*

[p. 81] Die 2da hujus mensis in missionem Anglicanam profectus est R.D. Thomas Gibson hic Bulmer qui literas humaniores uno aut altero anno docuerat, et munere Praefecti Generalis biennio prudenter et cum laude functus fuerat.

Circa finem hujus mensis Parisios profectus est D. Thom Brocholes hujus Collegii Procurator ut quantum fieri poterat consuleret Redditibus nostris et quidem industria et vigilantia ipsius servata est magna pars quae alioquin deperdita fuisset: interim maximā jacturā et damnum excepit Collegium tum summae principalis per varia Decreta Regis tum per reductionem omnium redditus Parisiis ad duo et dimidiū pr 100. post dies 15 revers<sup>a</sup> est ad Collegium D. Brocholes.

*Octob. 1720.*

Die martis 1ma mensis humaniorum literarum Scholas aperuit Ex. D. Praeses habitis in singulis classibus orationculis ad magistros et Scholares

Professores hoc anno S. Theol: Exim D. R. Witham Prases et Erudit. Dn<sup>s</sup> Ricard<sup>a</sup> Challoner hic Willard Vicepraeses; Proc. D. Brocholes; Philosophiae professores R.D. Clemens Scot et R.D. Bernard<sup>a</sup> Tournier hic Samuel—; Rhaetor Mag. Green; Poeseos R.D. Henric<sup>a</sup> Kendall; Syntaxeos R.D. Fran. Petre hic Andrews; Gram. Mag. Rob. Kendall; Rudiment R. D. Joes Cornwall.

Praefectus Generalis R.D. Thom. Howarden; Praefectus Musaei, confessarius et concionator R.D. Fran. Squib hic Petre.

In Schola Philosophica primi anni non nisi duo alumni et alter

\* See note on William Clifton, page 53.

† "Probably born at Catforth Hall, Woodplumpton, Lincs" (Gillow, *Lisb. Reg.*, 223), was nephew of Rev. Edward Kitchen *als* Smith; was sent to Lisbon as a deacon 1731 and appointed prefect of studies there 17 Sept., 1732, but died the same year.

‡ See note page 9 *sup.* He is No. iv of the priests mentioned.



discessurus. Logici 8, Rhaetores 5, Poetae 12, Syntax 13, Grammatici 17, In rudimentis 22.

Personae omnino 100 praeter 11 famulos. Initio mensis hinc discessit Joannes Humpfries philosophus primi anni ad Carmelitas discalceatos apud Abbeville.

Theologi hoc anno 9, ex quibus tres nondum alumni.

*Novbr. 1720.*

[p. 82] Die 4 in festo S. Caroli Borrom. juramentū Alumnorum praestitit Ricardus Formby Lancastriensis Dioecesis Cestriensis Rhaetor qui in humanioribus literis primus aut e primis fuerat, bonae spei juvenis.

Cum Rdssm<sup>a</sup> et Illus. Madaurensis petiisset a Sum. Pont. et a Sac. Congreg. de Protag. fide, ut ipsi concederent in Coadjutorem Districtus Londinensis nobilissimum D. Henricum Howard ducis de Norfolcia fratrem, virum singulari pietate et zelo in lucrandis animabus praeditum, benigne annuerunt Sua Sanctitas et Congregatio illud imprimis petente serenissimo Mag. Britan. Rege nostro Jacobo quicum Regina Clementina tunc Romae habitabat.

Ex Anglia accesserunt Jacobus et Edoardus Elson vere Winckley\* e comitatu Lancastriensi et Josephus Williams alias Matthews Dorcestriensis hi tres rudimentis operam daturi.

Discessit Robertus Hussey Hibern<sup>a</sup> puer 12 annorū.

Dei 21 mensis juramentū praestitit Thomas Winckley hic Elston Philosophus primi anni Lancastriensis optimae spei juvenis.

Die 22 nob<sup>is</sup> stil veteri ex hac vita discessit nobilissimus Illustrissim<sup>us</sup> et Revr<sup>nd</sup>ssim<sup>us</sup> Henricus Howard Electus Episcopus Uticensis et nondum consecratus ex febre neglecta cum ingenti ut credere fas est Catholicorum damno.

Accessit huc cū ultimo nominatis Jacobus Strother hic Selby 12 circiter an. natus ad rudimenta.

*December 1720.*

Die 5to sacrum solemne et officiū defunctorum celebratum est ab Exim. D. Praeside pro anima nobilissimi et Rdssimi D. Hen. Howard Electi Episcopi Uticensis.

Sabbato 4 temporum Adventus Cameraci ad Tonsurā minores ordines et subdiaconatum promoti sunt D. Jacobus Maxwell hic Brown, Scotus, D. Gulielm<sup>us</sup> Jones hic Collington, Dns Jacobus Gandy hic Leyburn, et ad Diaconatum D. Georgi<sup>us</sup> Kendall Lancastriensis dioecesis Cestriensis.

Die 21 huj<sup>us</sup> dimissionem seu resignationē muneris et officii Praesidis hujus Collegii fecit exim D. Praeses Robert<sup>us</sup> Witham per literas in Angliam ad Rdssimos Episcopos Madaurensensem et Marcopolitanum non autem ad Thespiensem Episcopum, et simul litteris de eadē re datis ad venerandum Decanum et capitulum Anglicanum quamvis ad hoc minime obligabatur. harum litterarū exemplar hic placuit subjicere.

Die 27 In festo S. Joannis Ap. et Ev. juramentum alumnorū praestitit

\* The two younger sons of Edward Winckley of Banister Hall, Walton-le-Dale Lancs. and Mary his first wife. Edward afterwards settled in Preston and died March 1750. James was studying for the priesthood but ill health compelled his return to England where he died March, 1727. For their elder brother Thomas see note p. 37.

Joës Coates\* e Northumbria Philosophus 1<sup>mi</sup> anni qui primus aut saltem unus e primis fuit in literis humanioribus nat<sup>us</sup> an 1700 4 Aprilis St. vet.

[p. 83] Illustrm et Rdssm D. Episcopis Bonav. Madaurensi et Georgio Marcopolitano Vicariis Aplcis reverentiâ et obedientiâ. Cum jam per sex annos officio praesidis Coll Angl. Duacensis utcunq functus fuerim, et nihil mihi jam optatius sit, nihil magis necessarium quam abdicatis omnibus sive oneribus sive honoribus quibuscunque Deo opt. Max. totis viribus servire et animae meae saluti consulere, omnibus diebus malis et paucis quae mihi in hoc vitae mortalis curriculo restare poterunt, hinc per praesentes literas mea manu signatas testor ac profiteor me non solum paratum esse animo, sed vehementer etiam atque etiam cupere ut quamprimum fieri poterit ab hoc onere et officio solutus et liber existam. Et quamvis haud sciam quo jure spectet ad Episcopos nostros Vicarios Stae Sedis praesentare aut nominare candidatos ad hoc officium (rarissime enim ni fallor hoc factum invenitur) nollem tamen hoc in quaestionem vocari quamdiu Episcopos habuerimus quibus cordi erit bonum et emolumentum protoparentis nostri Collegii Anglorum Duacensis. Igitur quantum in me est remitto et resigno in manus Praesidis, ut mutuis consiliis, pro summa sua prudentia providere possint Praesidem et superiorem aptum atque idoneum. In quorum fidem his praesentibus subscripsi die 21. Iobris an 1720

R. Witham Sac. Theo Doc., Coll. Angl. Duac. praeses.

Insuper declaro protestorque me nullum in posterum quoad vixero acceptaturum munus officiû, dignitatem aut superioritatem, quibus me indignum satis superque sentio: adeoque nec Sum. Pontifici nec Serenissimo Regi nostro, quem tantopere colo hac in re obtemperare debeo, sed etiamsi illud mihi praeciperent, certo certius recusarem Ita testor R.W.

Paulo ante finem hujus anni Epistolam accepit Ex. D. Praeside† a Dno Doc: Ingleton Seminarii Anglorû Parisiis superiore qua conquestus est et quasi accusabat Praesidē tanquam in animo haberet omne commercium et amicitiam rumpere cum Seminario Parisino. Unicum ut videtur fundamentū erat, quia nulli alumni mittendi erant Parisios. Respondit Praeses minime hinc sequi abrumpendum esse commerciū aut diminuendam amicitiam sicut perfecta servatur amicitia inter Duacenos et Lisbonenses, quamvis Praeses Collegii Duaceni se reprehensione dignū aestimaret, si optimae spei et praestantioris ingenii alumnos hinc Ulyssiponem mitteret. Ostendit etiam Praeses literis ad eundem datis et ad amicos in Anglia, semper fuisse grave incommodum huic Collegio, melioris spei juvenes mittere ad aliud quodcunque Collegiū. Hinc forte tempore Ex D. Paston per tres aut 4 annos non invenitur nisi unicus Theologiae professor; necesse etiam fuit eundem docere Philosophiam et poesim, imo an 1700 vel 1701 coactus fuit Ex. D. Paston petere a sacra Cong de Propaganda ut duo sacerdotes Romani literas humaniores hic docerent, quod et praestiterunt; haec autem gravia erant incommoda.

\* A native of Alawick, ordained 1725, went to England, 1730, missionary at Hardwick, 1730-1737, then at Nether Witton and after 1773 Witton Shields. Capitular in 1748. Died 8 July, 1794.

† So written for *Praeses*.



*Appendix Anni 1720.*

[p. 84] Cum jam prohibitio facta fuisset a Sum. Pontifice ne alumnus quilibet ex hoc Collegio mitteretur Studiorum causa Parisios aut ad alium quemcunque locum, Ex. D. Praeses per Agentē nostrū R.D. Mayes supplicationem fieri curavit Emntssmo Cardli Protectori Gualterio quatenus dignaretur sua autoritate concedere ut liceret ipsi vel Praesidi pro tempore existenti seponere annuatim de redditibus Collegiū valorem sexaginta scutorum monetae Romanae quorum applicatione alumni in dicto Collegio ad Gradus Baccalaureatus Licentiatūs aut Magisterii in ffacultate artium seu Theologiae in Universitate Duacena promoverentur, cui petitioni aliquo modo annuendo his verbis subscripsit Emntissim\* Protector *attentis narratis concedimus ut petitur ad Triennium; datum hac die 10 Decembris 1720 Ph. A. Cardlis Gualterius Protector.* Haec petitio et concessio servatur in Scrinio nostro: ita testor R. Witham S. Th. D. et Praeses Collegii Anglorum die 3 feb. an. 1721

Interim praecipuum motivum in petitione omisit R.D. Mayes viz. ut tali concessione impediretur ne Scholares nostri recusarent praestare juramentū alumnorū ut reciperentur in seminario Anglorum Parisiis et ibidem Doctores Theologi evaderent. Et certe experientia compertum fuerat sollicitatos fuisse literis interdum nostros ut ad dictū Seminarium Parisiense se transferrent.

Cum ex ingenti jactura quam hoc anno fecimus quarum foundationum quibus annexa fuerat ex voluntate benefactorum recitatio missarum, immunita fuisset summa capitalis pecuniae Parisiis elocatae per amissionem tertiae partis, et preterea census annui reddituum reducti jam fuissent ad duo et dimidium per annū Praeses et seniores Collegii Episcopos aliosque consulendos esse judicabant annon licitum et justum pro rata proportionem amissionis summae capitalis et reddituum inde provenientium.

Responsio Illustrme et Rdssmi Madaurensis

[*A blank space is left for the answer.*]

*Anno 1721.*

[p. 85] Circa initium mensis discessit seu potius dimissus est e Collegio Alex. Commerford Hiburnus studiis et vitae collegii penitus ineptus.

Ad collegiū ex Anglia reversus est Joannes Temple hic olim Joes Johnson, nunc [*blank*].

Die 18 huc Parisiis in Angliam rediens Praesidem invisit ejus neptis Salkeld.

Die 21 literas ab agenti nostro D. Laur. Mayes accepit Ex D. Praeses cum gratissimo nuntio nativitatē Principis Walliae\* qui Romae natus est die 31 decembris circa horam 5tam pomeridianam presentibus tot testibus nobilissimis ut quantum judicare licet nulli vel Regi nostro inimici quicquam contra mussitare praesumeret, praesentibus scilicet primae nobilitatis eo modo quo decebat quamplurimis utriusque sexus, Cardinalibus et senatoribus etc.

\* The birth of Prince Charles Edward took place in the Palazzo Muti. The President overlooked the fact that the eldest son of the sovereign is not Prince of Wales by birth, but by creation.

Baptizatus est statim post nativitatem serenissimus Walliae Princeps et haec nomina in Baptismo recepit Carolus Edoardus Ludovicus Joannes Casimirus Sylvester Maria et ut additur in literis publicis Hollandicis Philippus.

Die 28 convivium omnibus in Collegio suis expensis exhibuit E.D. Praeses, postquam mane cantaverat missam solemnem in honorem S. Thomae Cantuariensis in gratiarum actionem et *Te Deum*. Ex literis Roma acceptis Summus Pontifex missam celebraverat Romae in Collegio Anglorū [Sum Pontifex *repeated*] pro faelici Reginae partu cum jam partus dolores supervenientes per diem unū aut alterum sensisset.

Literas circa finem mensis ex Anglia recepit Praeses ab Episcopis Marcopolitano primū, deinde a Madaurensi quibus nolebant approbare aut consentire dimissioni seu resignationi officii sui missae ad ipsos a Praeside, ut dictum fuerat mense praecedenti. Et quidem Illustm<sup>s</sup> et Rdssm<sup>s</sup> Madaurensis gravissimis verbis conquestus est de hujusmodi resignatione et de adjuncta protestatione Praesidis, ipsumque vehementer hortabatur ut dimitteret omnem cogitationem sese muneri suo abdicandi.

Literas congratulatorias de Principe Walliae nato ad Regis nostri secretarium misit Dnus praeses.

*Februar 1721.*

Circa initium mensis discessit Josephus Commerford Hibernus ex Grammatica.

Literas Roman ad Sum. Pont. transmittendas a Rdssmo Madaurensi recepit Praeses quibus petebat R.D. Benjam. Petre in coadjutorem loco Illustmi Henr. Howard defuncti, rogavitque Praesidem ut eadē de re in Romam scriberet quod libentissime executus est Praeses.

In transitu et reditu Parisiis in Angliā nos salutarunt nobiles Dni Philippus Markham et Gulielmus Smith cum tutore suo R.D. Horton, cum dno Markham in prandio apud nos fuerunt sex alii ipsius fratres hic convictores.

Die 5 mensis expleti sunt sex anni quibus Praeses huj<sup>s</sup> Collegii fuerat D.R.W.

*Mart, 1721.*

[p. 86] Literas ad Emntssmū Protectorem misit Praeses quibus gratias egit quod concesserit 60 aureos annuatim per tres annos illis applicari qui ad gradus Theologicos promovendi videbantur simulque ostendit necessitatem continuandi vel etiam augendi illā summā.

Die 19 Martii obiit SSS. Pater Clemens 11<sup>mos</sup> pro cujus animae refrigerio sacrum Solemne celebravit Ex. D. Praeses.

In Septimana passionis pro more factum est examen coram Praeside, Praefecto Studiorum, et magistris in singulis classibus, de eorum diligentia et progressu tam in Latinis literis quam in Graecis.

*Aprill 1721.*

Circa initium discessit Philipp<sup>us</sup> Constable viz die 8<sup>va</sup>.

Die 26 1<sup>ma</sup> ad Baccalaureatū disputationem fecit R.D. Clemens Scot cum applausu, Philosophiae Professor.

Literas Roma accepit E.D. Praeses quibus agens noster D. Mayes significabat die 17 Martii in Sacra Congregatione de Propag. fide recep-



tam fuisse et concessam petitionem Illus: et Rdssmi Madaurensis in favorem R.D. Benj. Petre quem sibi designavit suum Coadjutorem.

May 1721.

Die 22dam disputationē ad Baccalaureatum fecit R.D. C. Scott.

Die 10 1<sup>ma</sup> ad Licentiā disputationē habuit D. Scot.

Die 16 2dam ad Licentiam.

Die 19 per literas publicas cognovimus electum fuisse in Summum Pontificem Cardinalem Conti qui nomen suscepit Innocentii 13tii.

Die 20 literas gratulatorias nomine totius Collegii ad Summum Pontificem misit Ex. D. Praeses.

Ante finem mensis duas alias ad Licentiam responsiones habuit Rds Dns Clemens Scot.

Die 29 in octava Ascensionis obiit hic Nob. juvenis Ricardus Maire Logicus optimaē spei adolescens et sepultus die sequenti. Dno Praeside et omnibus Sacerdotibus et clericis in superpeliceis corpus ad locū funeris in Ecclesiā concomitantibus eo quod Novus Pastor non esset de numero appellantiū sed eorum qui receperant Constitutionem *Unigenitus*.

Eadem die Logicam sub R.D. Bernardi Tournier propugnarunt Joes Coates, Joannes Buller hic Plunket mane, et a meridie Thomas Chester et Thomas Elston alias Winckley.

Jun. 1721.

[p. 87] Die 7 Sabbato 4 temporum ad Diaconatum Cameraci ordinati sunt Dnus Gulielmus Maire Dunelmensis et D. Jacobus Maxwell hic Brown Scotus dioecesis Candidae Casae. Ad sacerdotium vero promotus est D. Edoardus Barlow Lancastriensis dioecesis Cestriensis.

Die 10 ad Gradum Licentiatus promotus est D. Clem. Scot. In coena modicum convivium habuerunt Seniores Professores et Studiosi etiam portiones solito meliores et vinum i.e. juxta illā mensurā quae studiosis in aliis Conviviis solet concedi.

Eadem die huc reversus est Edo: Bourn.

Die 19 discessit Thomas Chester qui nuper Logicā cum applausu propugnauerat.

Eadem die 8va corporis Xti solemnem Ecclesiae Parochialis Processionem comitati sunt pro more nostri, et clerici aliorum seminariorum et studiosi.

Die Dominica infra Octavam corporis Xti primitias suas solemni more obtulit Deus R.D. Edoardus Barlow.

Cum hoc tempore haberetur concursus in Universitate pro lectione Catechistica visum est de consilio nonnullorum et in Universitate et in urbe nihil omittere ad recuperandum jus nostrum concurrendi cum qualibet Lectione vacante sive in Facultate Theolgica sive Artium, a quo exclusi videbamur contra antiquam consuetudinem ab anno 1706 cum enim admissus primum fuit R.D. Cuthbertus Perkinson ut concurreret pro Lectione Graeca a Provisoribus, postea tamen impeditus est ab Universitate habito ut dicebatur consilio Universitatis.

Tentatum est a nostris procurare ut iterum admitterentur ad Concursum juxta consuetudinem.

Rationes allatae ab Ex. D. Delcourt et aliis nonnullis ob quas nos

excludi voluerunt erant, 1<sup>mo</sup> quod essemus de communitate quasi regulari et omnia bona nostra possideremus in communi, non aliter ac Jesuitae vel Patres Oratorii; 2da quod essemus externi seu alienigenae. 3 quod juramento vel promissione mittendi essemus in missionem ex quo accidere posset quod ex improvise universitas privanda foret suis professoribus.

His rationibus in brevi chartula respondit D. Praeses ad 1<sup>mā</sup>; falsam esse et absque omni fundamento ut procul dubio est. Ad. 2. alios saepe esse alienigenas et non de regno et ditionibus Regis Galliae, sicut ipse E.D. Delcourt et illi duo qui nuper se praesentassent ad concursum, nec aliud a nobis exigi posse quam ut sicut alii obtineamus literas naturalizationis. Ad 3, imo non esse aequum et justum omnes in hoc Collegio excludere a concursu, cum non omnes semper praestarent illud juramentum, sicut praedecessor meus seu ultimus Praeses nunquam tale praestitit juramentum. 2do hanc rationem male afferri contra Praesidem Collegii qui illic esset durante vita. 3 nihil incommodi accidere posse Universitati etiamsi aliquando Professor discessurus esset, imo magis fore ob bonum Universitatis. Chartulam cum hisce rationibus Provisoribus obtulit nomine Collegii R.D. Brocholes Collegii Procurator. Nobis favebant aliqui ex provisoribus, et die 16 mensis exhibuimus Protestationem in forma contra concursum quam protestationem misimus ad E. D. Delcourt unum ex Provisoribus. Partim propter hanc protestationem et praesertim propter altercationem inter E.D. Delcourt et alios Facultatis Theologicae professores abrumpebatur concursus, et de [p. 88] his altercationibus missae sunt literae ad Curiam: misimus etiam et nos literas ad Cancellarium et Marchionem de Vrillieres.

Invenimus in Registro Universitatis scriptum esse quod an 1702 admissus fuerat ad Concursum pro lectione Catechistica Ex. D. Hawarden et an 1706 concursum pro graeca lectione Dn<sup>s</sup> Perkinson utroque loco a Provisoribus pro tempore existentibus et non apparebat qua autoritate Universitas nos potuit excludere.

Die 30 iterum indicabatur concursus pro eadē lectione. Ad Concursum se praesentavit Eruditiss<sup>ms</sup> D. Ricar. Challoner S. Th. Licentiat<sup>us</sup>, Collegii Vicepraeses, Sac. Theol professor ac Studiorū praefectus.\* Et examine facto circa nostram possessionem admissus est ad concursum a Provisoribus una cum Dno Hutin Regis Commisario verum e schola recesserunt Doctores Delcourt et De Marc iudices ordinarii de habilitate concurrentium,—Vide infra extractum ex Registro Universitatis factum mense martio anni 1751. [*Added in a later hand*].

*Jul. 1721.*

Die 1 Julii convenerunt in Schola Provisores cum Dno Hutin, et cum duo praefati Professores et Iudices nollent adesse electi et nominati sunt iudices eorum loco D. Pierart sac. Th. Licentiat<sup>us</sup> et Sem. Henniniani praeses et . . . . Fevre S. Th. licentiat<sup>us</sup> Pastor S. Nicolai.

Die 2 convenientibus iterum Provisoribus et novis iudicibus cum ordinario iudice Exim. D. Amand cum jam essent materiam distributuri duobus concurrentibus viz D.—Farazin S. Th. Licentiat<sup>us</sup>

\* See detailed account of this (including extracts from the journal of the Rev. Thomas Brookholes) in Burton's *Life and Times of Bishop Challoner*, I 52-54.



et Dno Ric. Challoner, se ad concurrendum obtulit Erud. D. Lengrand Sac. Theol. Licentiam qui Philosophiā docuerat 36 annis in Collegio Regio. Dubitatum an non nimis sero se praesentasset, ideoque contra illius admissionem exceptionem fecit Dns Farazin, interrogato vero D. Challoner an consentiret Respondit se nescire consuetudinem adeoque rem se relinquere Provisorum iudicio. Interim ob iudicium recusationem et propter casum Dni Lengrand interrompebatur concursus et visum est Provisoribus ad Curiam scribere, memoriale quoque ad Curiam iterum misit D. Praeses et ad Dnum Cretelot Canonicum Atrebatensem, qui de omnibus certiore fecit Rdssmū et Illustssmū Episcopum Atrebatensem.

Die 4 Epistolam Parisiis accepit D. Praeses qua certior factus est Cancellarium scripsisse ad Dnum Melian Insulis supremum Provinciae Gallo Belgicae Gubernatorem seu Commissarium uti rem totam examinaret exemplar ejusdem aut similis Epistolae eadem die receperunt Provisores Universitatis qui et relationem omnium quae ad nos spectabant miserant ad eundem Dnum Melian.

Eadem die cum praecipua contra nos et Collegiū objectio esset quod essemus de congregatione quadam regulari sine bonorum proprietate declararunt coram notario Regio superiores collegii se habere bonorum suorum proprietatem. Idem testabatur notarius D. Everard et tres famuli Jacobus l'Ecailles, Josephus Lalain Promus et Philippus Hortulanus.

Die 5 cum his attestationibus Insulas ad Dnum Melian profectus est summo mane Dnus Brocholes.

Literas circa hoc tempus Roma a Dno Laur. Mayes accepit Praeses quibus significabatur Summum Pontificem consensisse ut D. Benjamin Petre esset Coadjutor Rdssmi Episcopi Madaurensis, Scripsit et Reginam iterum praegnantem esse.

[The following six pages containing extracts from the University Register are in another hand].

[p 89] Copie Du premier Registre dela dote de l'Université de la ville de Douay a esté extraict ce que suit fol 1 Recto et v<sup>ro</sup>

Acta dominorum administratorum dotis Universitatis duacensis per joannem Ridderium eorundem actuarium.

Die vigesima quinta Julii 1581 in aedibus suae magnificentiae placuit dominis ut quod ad professionem eximii domini magistri nostri gulieli alani attineret quia praedictus dominus alanus presens omnem suam operam eodem die offerebat promittens se ad Universitatem proprio quoque tempore Rediturum simul atque propter difficultates itinerum liceret, [blank space]

Cameraco addens insuper se facile a sua Sanctitate obtenturum ut nonobstante canonicatu cameracensi agere posset in Universitate hac duacensi professor: ob has causas placuit dominis administratoribus ut tantisper usquedum rediret dictus alanus dominus M: n: Thomas Stapletonius pergeret professionem domini alani obire nempe professionem magistri intermissa ad tempus professione sua — controversiarum quod dictus Stapletonius presens ibi tunc etiam recipiebat se facturum.

## fol: 2. Recto

Die 22 maii 1582 in aedibus domini d'assigny primi Scabini post auditum amplissimum dominum cancellarium Bossemium et clarissimum virum dominum consiliarium magistrum joannem Venduillium juris utriusque doctorem quid de professione magistri vacante, ad quam se offerebant tres, dominus magister noster Thomas Stapletonius, dom: m.: n: hally et dom. Crocquetin divi amati canonicus et Sanctae theologiae licentiatus illis videretur, placuit ut dominus Stapletonius maneret in professione sua controversiarum aucto ei Stipendio in centum florenos.

[p. 90] Du 3<sup>e</sup> Registre des proviseurs dela dote del'Universite de la ville de douay a este extraict ce que suit fol: 84 vso et 85 recto et vso.

L'an 1702 le 26 du mois de maij ensuite dela resoluon prise par messieurs les proviseurs dela dote de l'Université de douay le 8 du mois d'avril dernier messieurs les proviseurs sistant assemblez au college publique dela faculté de theologie a ce evocquer les docteurs delad faculté et en pnce de Mr. hustin lieutenant general dela gouvernance de cette ville ont procedez a l'ouverture du concours dela Cinq<sup>e</sup> chaire de theologie vaccante par la promotion du Sr Amand, et en consequence dela lettre de cachet de Sa majesté du quatre du mois de mars dernier et de son arrest du Conseil d'estat du 30 avri<sup>l</sup> 1681: et a l'instant se sont presentez pour concourans Mr. jacques francois Victor natif d hostelet, chastellenie de furnes docteur en lad. theologie,

Mr. Edouard hawarden d'angleterre aussy docteur en lad. Theologie.

Le Sr guillaume Piewart de Chateau Cambresis licentié en lad. Theologie.

Le Sr Antoine Lengrand natif de Vieilli aussy licentié en theologie.

Le Sieur Jean bapté locqueneux de censes des Raimbaucourt licentié en Theologie.

le Sr Gerard dismont natif d'ynoir aussy licentié en theologie.

le Sr Jacques de Marque de neuvislle licentie en lad. theologie.

Et pierre george dela haye d'Ipres.

Mais auant proceder ala distribuon des matierres messieurs [p. 91] les proviseurs ont resolu de delibrer et prendre cognoissance des recusations inhabilités et Rejections proposees dela part des concourans, et d'en donner avis a Mr. l'intendant sur les causes contenues dans les requestes presentees par lesd Concourans, et de proceder sommairement pardevant commissaires denominez.

Du 16 juin 1702.

Dans l'assemblé tenu chez Mr. Coll chef du magistrat de cette ville de douay et les proviseurs dela dote de l' Université de cette ville tels que Mr<sup>e</sup> Monnier a pnt Recteur, Mr. guillaume de ganerel eschevin, mons<sup>r</sup> Couvreur, Mr. francois Lerigner eschevin et Mr. hirpin a esté resolu de decider dela contestation suscitee par les aspirans au concours de la cinq<sup>e</sup> chaire de theologie, en consequence dela declaration faite par monsieur l'intendant par sa lettre dattee de bruxelles, le 31 may 1702, escrite a Mr. le recteur magnificq et delaquelle la teneur sensuit.

a Bruxelles le 31 may, 1702.

Jay receu monsieur la lettre que vous avé pris la peine de m'escire le



28 de ce mois: les juges du Concours doivent reigler les difficultees dont vous me parlé, et vous me ferez plaisir si vous voulez bien me donner avis de ce qui se passera: je suis mon<sup>r</sup> Vrê tres humble et tres obeissant serviteur: signé dnguer de Bagnols,  
l'adresse estoit

a Mons<sup>r</sup> m<sup>re</sup> monnier Recteur magnifique de l'Université de douay, a douay

Du<sup>d</sup> jour 16 Juin 1702.

[p. 92] dans l'assemblé de mes<sup>d</sup> proviseurs a este donnee la sentence suivante.

Veu par nous proviseurs dela dotte de l'Université de cette ville de douay, la rêqtê a nous pñtee par les sieurs Jean bapte Locqueneux et jacques de marque tous deux licentié en theologie et pierre george dela haye demandens contre les sieurs edouard hawarden docteur en lad. theologie et gerard dumont aussy licentié en lad. Theologie defendeurs, pars laquelle les demandeurs concluent a ce que les dêffrs soient exclus du concours pour les raisons enoncees dans la reqtê: veu en outre certaine memoire latin a nous pñtee par les<sup>d</sup> hawarden et dumont: nous faisant droict sur lad Protestation avons deboutez les<sup>d</sup> locqueneux, demarque et dela haye des fins et conclusions de leu<sup>rd</sup> reqte, ordonnons en consequence que les sieurs hawarden et dumont seront admis aus concours et eligibles, fait en l'assemblé des<sup>d</sup> proviseurs les jours et an que dessus.

fol: 9 b. recto et vso.

L'an 1707 le vingt et un de feurier en consequence dela resolution prise par messieurs les proviseurs dela dote de cette Université le quinze Decembre dernier deproceder cejourdhy a l'ouverture du Concours dela lecon greque vacante par la mort de Mr. anselme Vanblotacque et apres que les affiches pour la notification du<sup>d</sup> concours ont estez mises conformement a l'arrest du conseil d'estat [p. 93] du Roy du 30 autil 1681 mesd. sieurs proviseurs se sont assemblez au college dela faculté des arts, a ce evocquer les sieurs docteurs et professeurs delad faculté tels que les sieurs denis et dela Croix, comme aussy le Sr. . . . de Weldre docteur enlad faculté chanoine de S<sup>i</sup> Amé et regent du college du Roy, et en pñce de Mr. claud hustin conseiller du Roy et lieutenant general dela gouvernance de cette ville de douay et orchies commissaire denomné par sa<sup>d</sup> majesté pour recevoir et admettre aud Concours tous ceux qui vouloient y pretendre.

Suiuant quoy sesont presentéz pour concourans a la susd lecon Mre Cuthbert perkinson prestre et professeur de philosophie au college des Anglois, jacques francois des texche ptre et Chapelain de S<sup>i</sup> Amé, daniel doutart estudiant en theologie et martin fleuris phiscus estudiant au college d' Anchin.

Et sur la rejection et inhabilité pretendue dudit. perkinson comme membre dud. college des anglois: Mesdits Srs proviseurs apres avoir entendues les raisons allegues de part et d'autre ont resolu que lad perkinson estoit habil et admissible aud concours ainsy qu' avoit pareillement esté ordonné dans leur assemblé du seize juin 1702 a lesgard de mre edouard hawarden docteur enladitte theologie, et pro-

fesseur delad. theologie audit college des anglois, et qui 'l estoit notoire ques les S<sup>rs</sup> docteurs alanus et hydeus qui estoient du meme college [p. 94] des anglois ont remplis des chaires des professeurs Royaux de cette université.

Ensuite dela quelle resolution lesd. concourans ont tirez chaque uns leurs billets cachez sur lesquels Billets ils y ont escript leurs noms pour les recognoistre, et leur estre delivré au jour qu'il leur sera prefige pour traduire du greque en latin les textes marques par les billets qui leur sont escheus par sort, et contre laquelle traduction led. concourans pouvoient dire et objecter ce qu'ils trouveront convenir, au quel jour fut pris a Vendredy prochain dix heures du matin ayans lesd. s<sup>rs</sup> dela faculté des arts, de l'aueu et consentement de mes<sup>d</sup> sieurs provideurs denommez pour assister aud. Concours dom hyacinth puch Religieux et Regent du college de marchiennes, et. p. augustin aylmer Recolect anglois, scauans dans la langue grecque, pour conformement a leur auis nommer ala chaire vacante les plus capable des concourans ainsy faict et resolu les jour, mois an et pardevant que dessus pût le soussigné greffier dela dote dela Université. Signé J. b. delesaulx.

Il est ainsy aud Registre. temoin. Signé J. B. Delesaulx.

Il est ainsy a La Copie signé J. C. delesaux Greffier dela dote de L'Université de douay exhibi et rendu par Le notaire Royal dela residence du<sup>d</sup> Douay, Soussigné ce treize aoust mil septcent vingt et un.

H. T. P. Curard\*

1721 no<sup>re</sup>

[The Diary is resumed in Dr. Witham's handwriting].

July, 1721

[p. 95] Accesserunt die 13 Joan Hawkins† Nobilis puer 13 annorum cum patre suo de comitatu Cantiae et . . . . . Malpus Hibernus hic Fitzherbert.

Die 14 tractatum de Incarnatione cum longa Parainetica Appendice de Autoritate Sedis Apostolicae et de Conciliis sub Ex. D. Praeside propugnabit mane M. Georgius Markham de Ollerton comitatus Lincolnensis dioecesis Eboracensis: a meridie M. Car. Henricus Parry Sangermanensis.

Et die 15 mane D. Georg. Kendall cū summo omnium applausu.

Die 12 Philosophiā Universalem Praeside Erud D. Clem Scot propugnabit mane Thom Atkinson: a meridie Gul. Thornbourg.

Circa hoc tempus petente Rddimo et Illustmo Episcopo Giffard sedes Apostolica ipsi concessit Coadjutorem Rdssmū et Illustmū D. Benjamin Petre ex familia nobili de Fidslers hujus collegii alumnum et sacerdotem qui in missione per 20 circiter annos laboraverat et mense octobri sequenti consecratus est Epus [blank] ‡ ab. Illustmo D. Giffard.

Aug. 1721.

die 4ta mane Theses Theologicas morales de decalogo praeside

\* The notaire's signature is difficult to decipher as the initials are all joined in one flourish.

† Eldest surviving son of Thomas Hawkins of Nash Court, Kent, Esq., and Mary, dau. of Richard Clayton of Lea Hall, Salop, Esq. He afterwards married Susan, dau. of Robert Constantine, Esq., and died in France leaving three sons.

‡ Prusensis.



Erudit: D. Challoner Vicepraeside propugnabat D. Jacob<sup>s</sup> Maxwell hic Brown Scot<sup>s</sup> Diaconus.

Die 6<sup>ta</sup> easdem propugnabant mane D. Jacob<sup>s</sup> Gandy Cestriensis: a meridie D. Gulielmus Maire Dunelmensis Diaconus.

Die 16 Epistolam a SSS. Dno Innoc. 13 i.e. a Cardli Stae Agnetis nomine Summi Pontificis accepit Exim. D. Praeses qua laudavit Sanctitas sua Collegiū et omnibus Benedictione Apostolica largitus est.

Die 20 ad prandiū in hoc Collegio invitati sunt Exim. et R. P. Thom. Southcott praeses Congregationis Anglicanae ordinis S. Benedicti cum 11 aliis praecipuis ex eorum capitulo.

Die 22 in Angliam profectus est Ex. D. Praeses brevi rediturus et cum eo discessit G. Petre ex poesi.

Eadem die circa vesperam ex hac vita discessit pius Adolescens Rob. Halliwell Lancastriensis.

Die 25 discessit hinc Thomas Markham 2d<sup>s</sup> filius Thom. Markham Armigeri de Ollerton in comitatu Nottinghamiae.\*

Die 13 huc accessit Joan. Turner puer 13 annorum ad Rudimenta et cū eo Fran. Towneley Parisios profecturus.

[The following paragraph is inseted in a later hand].

Vide infra ad annū 1751 mense Martio, exemplar Litterarum Dni Meliant Commissarii Regii Insulis tunc degentis ad Provisores Universitatis: dat 6<sup>o</sup> Sept. 1721. Et literarū cancellarii Dagnessau ad eosdem, dat: 22 sept. 1721 ibidem.

*September, 1721.*

[p. 96] Die 9 Sacramentum confirmationis receperunt nostri qui nondum signati fuerant, ab Episcopo de Waterford† in Ecclesia Parochiali Sti Jacobi.

Die 10 Provisores a curia acceperunt nuntium et mandatum a curia et postmodū a Cancellario quo facultas et licentia concurrendi pro Lectionibus Scolasticis vacantibus concessa est nostris de hoc Collegio in Universitate. Hoc mandatū relatum est in librum Universitatis postquam receptum fuit non tantum a Provisoribus sed etiam a doctoribus et a Facultate Theologica.

Die 27 Accesserunt ex Anglia Thomas Clough ad Syntaxim, et Thomas Berington ad Rudimenta.

Die 29 convenientes Provisores Universitatis elegerunt tanquam iudices concursus Ex: D. Aman et Du Bois sacrae Theologiae doctores et Erud. Dnos Le Febure et Presart sacrae Theologiae Licentiatos, exclusis Ex. dnis Delcourt et de Marc Professoribus Regiis et ordinariis, et indictus est concursus pro lectione Scholastica dies 20<sup>ma</sup> 8bris.

*Mens: Octobris, 1721.*

Die 1 in absentia Ex. D. Praesidis apertae sunt Scholae. Et Professores hoc anno fuerunt Theologiae Exim Dn Rob Witham Praeses. et Erud. Dns Ric. Challoner Vicepraeses. Philosophiae Erud. Dn<sup>s</sup> Clemens Scot et R.D. Bern. Turner; Rhaetoricae Magister Gul Green; Poesoes R.D. Francisc<sup>s</sup> Petre hic Andrews; Syntaxeos D. Jacob<sup>s</sup> Brown alias

\* In the entry under 14 July Ollerton is described as being in Lincolnshire, but as here stated it is really in Nottinghamshire.

† This was Richard Pierce, the exiled bishop of Lismore and Waterford. Gams (*Series Episcoporum*, p. 228) gives the dates of his pontificate as 1701-1735, but see Brady, *Episcopal Succession*, ii. 73.

Maxwell; Grammaticae R.D. Joes Meales hic Cornwall; Rudimentorum R.D. Edwardus Barlow hic Meynill. In 1<sup>ma</sup> Philosophiae classe 5. In 2 da 6. In Rhaetorica 12, in Poesi 12, in Syntaxi 14, In Grammatica 14, in Rudimentis 17.

11 famuli. Praefectus Gen. D. Hawarden	{ oes 101
5 professores humanistarū, 9 theologi	{ absq. familis

Die 8 Accessit Bernard<sup>s</sup> Howard<sup>s</sup> filius Bernardi Howard de Norfolcia nobilis puer 12 annorū

Die 12 Theologiae cursum et tractatum de Ecclesia inchoavit Erud. D. Willard, absente Praeside.

Die 20 ad concursum in Schola publica a Provisoribus admissi sunt Erud. D. Pharazin et Erud. D. Challoner hujus Coll. Vice praeses et Theologiae professor, Contra exclusionem suam ab Officio iudicum protestati sunt Exim. D. Delcourt et de Marc eo quod acquiescerent mandato curiae.

Die 21 admissi sunt ut Iudices praedicti doctores et Professores.

Eadem die hinc discessit Gualterus Butler hic Joes Plunket Hibernus.

Eadē in die se praesentavit ad concursum Ex. D. Motquin et distributae sunt materiae pro concursu.

Die 22 Erud. D. Challoner recusavit pro Iudicibus eximios [p. 97] Dnos Delcourt et De Marc tanquam adversarios.

Die 24 a Provisoribus ab officio Iudicis exclusus est Exim. D. Adrian<sup>s</sup> Delecourt, et a concursu se substraxit Exim. D. Motquin, cognatus Exim. D. Delcourt.

Die 27 Protestationem fecit Er. D. Challoner contra admissionem Ex. D. Delcourt pro iudice declarans tamen se nolle propterea impedire concursum et similiiter contra Ex. D. de Marc.

Eadem die dictitare pro concursu incoepit Erud. D. Pharazin sicut et die 29 et die 31.

#### Novemb: 1721.

Die 4 pro concursu dictitare incoepit Erud. D. Ric. Challoner et similiter die 6 et die 8va.

Diebus 10, 12 et 15 Theses pro concursu propugnavit Erud. Dn Pharazin.

Diebus vro 17 19 et 22 Erud. D. Challoner.

Die 23 huc accesserunt a collegio Soc. Audomarensi Francisc<sup>s</sup> Plowden† et Edoard<sup>s</sup> Stafford‡ frater vice Comitum de Stafford, et alter nepos illius.

#### Decemb. 1721.

Die 4. duo iudices Exim. D. Amand et du Bois iudicabant in favorem D. Pharazin tanquam dignioris, reclamantibus plurimis qui aderant

\* Son of Bernard Howard of Norfolk and Ann, dau. of Christopher, Lord Teynham. He was ordained priest in 1735, taught at Douay till 1742, returned to England, was elected a capitular in 1743 and died at Buckenham House, Norfolk, the seat of Hon. Philip Howard, 27 May, 1745.

† Son of Francis Plowden of Plowden, Salop, Esq., and Mary, dau. of John Paul Stafford Howard; thus, through his mother, he was a great-grandson of Ven. William Howard, Viscount Stafford, the martyr. He became a priest, lived and died in France, being known as Abbé de Plowden.

‡ He was really the half-brother of Viscount Stafford, being the son of John Paul Stafford-Howard, by his second wife, Teresa, dau. of Robert Strickland, Esq.



Professoribus. Statim appellationē ad curiam interjecit contra eorū judiciū Erud. D. Challoner et admissa est appellatio a Provisoribus tanquam suspensiva collationis lectionis.

Die 9 discessit hinc magister Edw. Carolus Parry Theologus 2 di anni sed non alumnus.

Die 19 ex Anglia reversus est Exim D. Praeses cum puero famulo suo Georgio Henrico Heddon.

Die 20 hinc discessit [blank] Sackville e Gramatca.

Hoc tempore continuata est lis inter Erud D. Vicep. et Pharazin pro lectione Scholastica seu Catechistica coram Cancellario et Supremo Regis Christianissimi ministro.

Die 26 Juramentum alumnorū praestiterunt Josephus Hills, Londin. et Edoard<sup>s</sup> Harrington vere Mullineux\* Lancastriensis ut notatur et notari solet in alio libro.

#### Jan. 1722.

[p. 98] Initio mensis discessit tanquam minus idoneus ad studia, Joan. Walpool Philosophus 2 di anni.

Invisit D. R. D. Georgius Hind Baccalaureus Sac Theol. in Academia Parisnsi et de Semin, San Gregoriano† Perrexit Bruxellas ut illic moraretur cum Illust Comitissa et‡ Darwenwater et Illus. comite 8 annorum. Ipsi concessum est Viaticum seniorum cum hic uno anno Philosophiam docuisset.

Ante finem mensis de consilio Praesidis hinc discessit Moyses Wtaker hic Joan Franklin e Syntaxi ad Carthusianos neoporti.

Literas ad novum Internuntium Bruxellensem Illus Dnū Spinelli . . . m misit initio anni Exi. D. Praeses.

Post natalitias tractatum de Deo uno et Trino dictitare coepit Exim. D. Praeses et solus docuit ad 25 martii.

#### Februarii. 1722.

Die 18 hic admissus est ut convictor R.D. . . . . More hic Nicolls, Sacerdos qui Romae studuerat et aliquanto tempore Leod; illic ni fallor consecratus sacerdos fuerat per aliquot annos in missione Anglicana: nobis commendatus est ab Illus et Rdsmo D. Matthaeo Pritchard Episcopo Mirinensi Vicario Apostolico in Anglia qui eodē tempore venit Duacum.

Die Cinerum, cineres hic benedixit Illus Episcopus Mirinensis et omnibus distribuit. Non semel hic invitatus est ad prandium, et summa humanitate exceptus etiam versibus a Rhaetoribus: profectus est Bruxellas ad Illustmum Internuntium et postea huc reversus, et in Angliam ante Pascha.

#### Martii, 1722.

Initio mensis hujus vocatus est in Angliam ob res temporales R.D. Fran. Petre hic Andrews et cum eo in Angliam discessit Thomas Row Poeta ob malam valetudinem. Circa idem<sup>s</sup> tempus discessit . . . . Johnson alias Temple.

\* Son of Edward Molyneux of Formby and Dorothy, dau. of Alexander Hesketh, of Aughton, Lancs. Ordained 1727 and Chaplain at Moor Hall, Aughton, till his death 20 Oct., 1739.

† So written for either Sem Sancti Gregorii or Sem. Gregoriano.

‡ So written.

Hoc tempore in animo habebat Praeses de consilio amicorum et superiorum in Anglia reaedificare sacellum et partem Collegii a Seminario Henniniano fere usque ad finē plateae quae adducit ad Abbatiam de Sin. Idea hujus aedificii ab artifice quodā jam delineata fuerat. Mille libras Sterlingas daturus erat Illus et Rdissmus D. Giffardus: pro aliis duabus millibus jam quasi contraxerat cum Illustmo Comite Rivers sive de Ripariis Exim Dn<sup>s</sup> Praeses ea conditione ut ipsi durante vita Collegiū solveret ducentas, ad hoc opus dispositi erant Amici nostri in Anglia.

*Martii. 1722.*

[p. 99] Interim statuerat Praeses haud inchoare aedificium nisi prius haberet in manibus procuratoris majorem pecuniae summam quam solvere deberet ex pacto cum Artifici qui suscepturus erat aedificium. Et quidem bis mille ab Illustmo comite de Rivers acceperat Procurator noster Londini Quingentas alias a Rdssmo Episcopo Giffard a quo statim habere poterat alias quingentas; nonnulli promiserant se paratos esse ad contribuendum. Cum Procurator hic in Collegio declaravit se nolle consentire contractui ineundo cum Comite de Rivers, nec proinde signare velle *securitatem* quae ab ipso una cum Praeside et Vicepraeside pro seipsis et successoribus suis danda erat dicto Comiti. Et quidē durior forte videri poterat illa conditio, nisi ratio haberetur circumstantiarum aetatis, valetudinis, amicitiae Comitis de Rivers et praesertim cambii seu permutationis pecuniae qua pro singulis libris Sterlingis recipere licebat 24 florenos (etsi 10 floreni uni librae Anglicanae aequivalent) Cum igitur consentire nollet D. Brocholes coactus est Ex. D. Praeses (invitus licet praesertim post contractum quasi initum) scribere ad amicum suum Comitem de Rivers et obnixē ab illo petere ut dignaretur recedere a contractu, quandoquidem securitatem praestare non poterat Praeses ob recusationem factam a Procuratore; annuit statim dictus Comes, commotus tamen aliquantulum et in responsione declaravit se nihil unquam daturū Collegio *nec in vita nec in morte.*

Quamprimum audierunt Illust Episcopus Giffard et Procurator Londinensis D. Day Praesidem scripsisse ad Comitem de contractu rescindendo commoti sunt et non parum excanduerunt. Scripsit statim ad Comitem Procurator Londinensis, vituperans illos qui cum Praeside nollent consentire; rogavit ut dignaretur contractum perficere cum Praeside nec dubitandum quin Collegiū posset et vellet censum annuū quem petebat ipsi persolvere. At sero sapiunt Phryges. Nam cum aliis contrahere promiserat pro eodem censu annuo 200 librarum Illustmus comes, uti rescripsit ad Praesidem ad quem etiam misit Epistolam ad se scriptā a Procuratore Londinensi. Epistolam etiam a Rdssmo Epo Giffard recepit praeses quā significavit se maxime approbare illum contractum cum Illustmo comite sacerdote et alumno hujus Collegii, et consiliū praesidi dedit ut sine jacturā temporis contractum cum ipso firmaret; at non poterat Praeses dissentiente et recusante Procuratore D.B[rocholes], promiserat enim securitatem a se Vicepraeside et Procuratore signandam.

Certe Moniales Lovan: quae eundem contractum inierunt cum Comite sub iisdem conditionibus non poterant recipere a Campsoribus nisi 12 florenos pro lib. monetae Anglicanae.



Monuit Praesidem R.D. Brocholes se non ulterius remansurum in Collegio vel in officio procuratoris, et postea interrogatus amicè a Praeside cur adeo tristis et mutatus erga se appareret, respondit occasionem fuisse consilium illud Praesidis aedificandi et acceptandi pecuniam Illus.Com. de Rivers. Respondit Praeses illam occasionem jam ablatam esse.

Interim timendum etiam ob contractum rescissum cū Comite, ne amittamus etiam mille libras Epi Giffard qui ea conditione nobis pecuniam illam promiserat, si statim aedificare vellemus.

Eodem etiam tempore petitionem Romae praesentare statuerat D. Ingleton qua tam ipse quam alii de Sem. Parisiensi [p. 100] postulabant a sanctitate sua ut dignaretur revocare prohibitionem factam mense Augusti die 19 an. 1719 ut videre est in hoc Diurnali mensis 7bris ejusdem anni. Scripserant etiam ad Serenissimum Regem nostrum ut causae ipsorum faveret apud Sum. Pont. et Protectorem immo ex literis datis Rom. 10 martii a D. Laur. Mayes Procuratore Romano scripserat Romam D. Ingleton me praesidem hujus Collegii consensisse illi petitioni, cum tamen neque D. Ingleton neque alius quisquam consensum meum petierat.

Cum talis jam prohibitio facta fuerit qua neque poterat Praeses hujus Collegii ad alium quemcunque locū mittere alumnos Summi Pontificis, neque permittere ut quisquam hic doceret Philosophiam aut Theologiam qui alibi illas disciplinas didicisset, quaeri merito poterit an

Praeses hujus Collegii optare consentire aut conari  
 Quaesiones quaedam importunae et molestae. debeat ut revocetur praedicta prohibitio; an scilicet conducatur ad bonum Collegii melioris spei et ingenii alumnos mittere Parisios quoties seminarium illud

studiosis indigeret. Ante prohibitionem illam aucta fuerat fundatio illius seminarii ita ut studiosos duplo plures quam antea se sustentare posse sperarent nisi accessisset jactura ex *Actionibus in nova Indiarum societate* et reductione pecuniarum ad 2½ per cent. Deinde diminutae magna ex parte sunt fundationes in hoc Collegio Duaceno ita ut pauciores in posterum admitti possent in Scholis Humanioribus, adeoque pauciores habiturus esset alumnos hic Praeses qui imprimis studere debet bono Collegii sibi commissi. Incommoda non levia sentire, visus est Ex. D. Paston cum non haberet hic magistros idoneos immo nullos, vide an 1701, quo rogatu Praesidis a sacra Cong de Propag. designati sunt duo Professores Collegii Romani vid. an 1710 et 1711 quo Philosophiam et simul Poesim docuit R.D. Ricard<sup>s</sup> Kendall non semel etiam non erat nisi unicus Philosophiae professor. Quaeri etiam poterit an non melius et utilius forte hic Theologiam discant nostri alumni ob exercitia Scholastica quae hic habentur et non Parisiis; poterant etiam alumni hic ad gradus Theologicos promoveri. Adeo jam pauci sunt et futuri sunt (quam conjicere licet) Alumni et Theologi, ut sine gravi incommodo suis carere alumnis non possit forte hoc Collegium. Has quaestiones aliis decidendas relinquo antequam consensum praebeam petitioni supradictae.

Sabbato ante Dom Passionis die 20 Martii Cameraci (illos comitante Ex. D. Praeside) ad minores ordines et sub diaconatum promoti sunt D.

Rob. Kendall, D. Gulielmus Thornborough, D. Thomas Atkinson et ad diaconatū D. Jacobus Gandie ab Epo Coadjutore Quebecensi.

1722, April.

[p.101] Die 2 hujus mensis Literas Romam ad sacram Cong. de propag. misit Ex. D. Praeses quibus nominavit et commendavit Congreg. duos idoneos sibi successores et sacrae Congreg. resignavit sponte nemine id rogante ab ipso vel insinuante, officium suum Praesidis, quo jam functus fuerat ultra septennium. Motiva et causas suae dimissionis ob bonum Collegii in literis proposuit.

Die 10 Epistolam recepit Praeses a D. Doctore Ingleton superiori Seminarii Anglicani Parisiis graviter conquerentis quod Praeses hujus Collegii Romam scripsisset se nullum adhuc praeuisse consensum ut Sanctitati suae fieret supplicatio ad revocationem prohibitionis mittendi alumnos Parisios vel ad alias Academias ad Gradus Theologicos. Responsonem misit Praeses ad D. Ingleton in qua exposuit rationes suas quibus inductus fuit ut optaret potius nullam hujusmodi fieri revocationem.

Circa diem 20 huc accesserunt Thomas Stonor hic Nevill\* filius natu major, et Carolus 2d<sup>us</sup> filius Thomae Stonor armigeri nobilis et [blank] Roper, uterque rudimentis operam daturus.

Recesserat Parisios paulo ante Georgius Rowe ex Devon ex Rhaetica. Discessit die 27 Barthom: White Hiberno-hispanus Syntaxianus.

Renovatus est contractus supramemoratus cū Illustmo Comite de Rivers, resumptum est consilium aedificandi, agentibus et nos impellentibus Rdssmo D. Giffard et aliis in Anglia.

Maii 1722.

Initio mensis nos invisit perillustis D. Radulph<sup>us</sup> Standish cum gubernatore suo D. Hugone Dicconson.

Die 9 hinc discessit D. Ricard<sup>us</sup> Porter hic Goring e logica.

Nos inviserunt ex Anglia et in collegio per aliquod temporis commorati sunt nobilis D. Gulielmus Smith et cognatus ipsius . . . . . Short cum duobus famulis.

Gravissime contra Praesidem commoti sunt hac tempestate Doctores Seminarii Parisiensis et nonnulli credo alii eo quod judicaret esse contra bonum hujus Collegii mittere nostros optimae spei alumnos Parisios vel petere ut revocetur prohibitio facta a summo Pontifice Libere mentem suam ad praecipuos ex ipsis scripsit Ex. D. Praeses.

Circa finem hujus mensis cum Architecto contractum inierunt D. Praeses et D. Brocholes ut novum exstrueret aedificium versus plateam et coemeterium 183 pedum in longitudine, 28 [in margin sive 23 pedum intra muros] in latitudine includendo muros etc expressis omnibus conditionibus pro 40 millibus florenis† et conditiones coram notario

\* Thomas and Charles were the two elder sons of Thomas Stonor of Stonor, Esq. (1677-1724) and his second wife Hon. Winifred Roper, dau. of Christopher, fifth Lord Teynham. Thomas, born 18 April, 1710, afterwards married Mary dau. of John Biddulph, Esq., through which marriage the barony of Camoys eventually came to the Stonor family.

† 40,000 florins were nominally equivalent to £4000 but owing to the rate of exchange which the President computed at 24 florins to the pound, the total cost would be £1666 : 13 : 4. Even at the value of money at that time this was a low price for so handsome a building.



publico utrinque signatae sunt die 30 Maii 1722 et media pretii pars soluta.

Deprehensa dicebatur in Anglia conjuratio generalis etiam et praecipuè protestantium ejiciendi Regem Georgiū et revocandi legitimum suum Regem Jacobum 3tium.\*

Juramentum alumnorum praestitit Joes Wilkinson die 24.

*Jun. 1722.*

[p. 102] Habitaē sunt disputationes Logicae, Praeside Erud. D. Clem. Scot, S. Th. Licentiatō, mane propugnatoribus Joseph<sup>o</sup> Hills, Edw. Bartlet,† a meridie Thomas Salkeld, Jo: Gough.

Circa 20 mensis huc mansurus per aliquod breve tempus venit D.R. Geo. Thompson hic Hanmer Sacerdos Coll. Rom et missionarius.

Die 27 Ex Anglia reversus est D. Fran. Petre hic Andrews Poeseos professor nuntiatum est omnes pene sacerdotes et nobiles commotos vehementer esse contra Praesidem quod impedire vellet ne alumni hujus Collegii ad Sem. Parisiensem mitterentur, literas cum privatis rationibus (et quas neque hic recensere ob aliorum famam congruum videtur) ad Illustmū Madaurensē misit Ex. D. Praeses. Interim Romā responsum quotidie expectat Praeses circa dimissionem suam factam Sac. Congregationi de propaganda fide quam acceptari vehementer cupit.

Die ultimā mensis discessit hinc Jaradus Strickland 2d<sup>o</sup> filius Gualteri Strickland armigeri de Sizer et [blank] ‡Salvin e classe Rhaetoricae.

*Julii, 1722.*

Die 10 habitaē sunt disputationes publicae Philosophiae universae praeside R.D. Bernardo Tournier horis pomeridianis propugnante Thoma Winckley hic Elston absque conclusionibus graecis.

Die 11 continuatae sunt mane respondente Thoma Chambers; a meridie Joanne Cotes utroque tam graece quam latine.

Adventarunt huc ex Anglia et manserunt per tres aut quatuor dies D. . . . . Howard, D. Thomas Witham, cognatus Praesidis, et D. Joan. Maire de Hartbusses, omnes ex comitatu Dunelmensi: discesserunt die 13tia.

Eadem die filium suum hic Fitzherbert poetam invisit pater suus . . . Ma[l]pus, Hibernus.

Julii 23 discessit Josephus Skelton e Rhetorica. Julii 27 Habitaē sunt conclusiones Theologicae de Deo uno et Trino praeside Erud. D. Rich. Challoner sacrae Theol. Licentiatō et Coll. Vicepraeside, propugnante mane Roberto Kendal; a meridie Gulielm. Thornborough, Subdiaconi theologi primi anni.

[p. 103] Die 28 continuatae sunt defensiones praedictae mane propugnante Thomas Atkinson Subdiacono Theol. primi anni. A meridie Georgius Markham convictor Theologus 2di anni.

Die 29 Eadem Theses propugnatae sunt respondente D. Gulielmo Maire, diacono theologo 3tii anni.

\* This was the Jacobite plot in which Atterbury, Bishop of Rochester, was implicated.

† Fifth son of Rowland Bartlett of Hill End and Castle Morton, Worcestershire, Esq., and Ann, daughter of John Tasburgh of Bodney Hall, Norfolk. He was born 1702, ordained 1727, chaplain to Sir Edward Blount, 1729-1752, and then chaplain at St. Monica's Convent, Louvain, till his death 28 Jan., 1782.

‡ The omitted name should be Ann. See note p. 50 *sup.*

Eadem die a meridie Theses Theologiae universae praeside Ex. D. Praeside et dicatas Rddsmo Georg. Witham Episcopo Marcopolitano etc. propugnare coepit D. Georg. Kendall diaconus.

Die Jovis 30 mensis mane easdem Theses propugnavit idem D. Georgius Kendall cum summo applausu.

Die 31 Easdem theses mane et a meridie propugnavit R.D. Henricus Kendall, cum magno applausu.

*August 1722.*

Aug. 4 discessit hinc Georgius Towneley e Rhaetica.

Die 8 discessit hinc Audomarum Joan. Thomas hic Williams aut Scudamour ex comitatu de Monmouth.

Eadem die accessit Andreas Weight ex comitatu Hamptonensi.

Die 11 discessit Thomas Salkeld nepos Praesidis Bruxellas.

Die 24 nos reliquit nob. D. Georg. Jernegham quid hic apud nos manserat per breve tempus occupatus negotiis Regis.

Eadem die e collegio discessit Josephus Hills alumnus a die 26 robriis ultimo elapsi philosophus primi anni [*In margin*, discessit et postea admissus fuit in Semin. Parisiensi].

Die 28 Audomarum cum Dno Smith D. Brocholes etc. profectus est Praeses, et observatis omnibus in fabrica illius Coll Jesuitarū Anglorum; rediit huc die 30<sup>ma</sup> mensis.

Die ultima Praeses habita in refectorio oratiuncula in locum R.D. Thom. Hawarden substituit R.D. Henricum Kendall.

Eadem die alterum contractum inierunt Praeses, D. Brocholes et D. Petre cum Antonio Josepho Wattelin Architecto quo exstruere teneretur novum sacellum longitudine 90 pedum latitudine 28 intra parietes, altitudine 40, omnibus conditionibus in charta expressis, pretium erat triginta quatuor millia et quingenti floreni belgici,\* et dimidium pretii eodem die solutum est dicto Architecto.

Litteras recepit R.D. Thom Brocholes a fratre suo in Anglia quibus significabatur presentiam suam omnino illic necessariam esse, ob litem circa temporalia ipsius bona.

Erudit. D. Clemens Scot petiit a Praeside ut in Angliam mitteretur. Annuit Praeses cum alios haberet idoneos ad docendum Philosophiam, alioquin minimè concessisset. Et certe quid fieret Collegio si unus quisque pro libitu suo quando voluerit discederet, aut nisi praeses obligare posset alumnos ut manerent quamdiu ipsos necesarios judicaverit ad munera in Collegio obeunda?

*Septbr. 1722.*

[p. 104] Die 5 a Collegio Audomarensi huc venit Joannes Couban, hic Butler† Lancastriensis absolutū illic Rhaeticā, et ea intentione ut post 6 circiter menses in alumnorum numerum admittatur.

Praefectus musaei constitutus est R.D. Joan. Cornwall (Meales).

\* Nominally £3450 in English money but on the same rate of exchange as before it would only amount to £1437 10s.

† Mr. Gillow suggests (C.R.S. vi, 182) that his name was really Colborne and that he was son of Lawrence Colborne of Freckleton, Lancs. He was ordained in 1728 and was successively missioner at Cottam, Ladywell in Fernyhalgh, Esh, co. Durham, and Crathorne where he died 6 Oct., 1777



Eadem die dialogum exhibuerunt in refectorio studiosi 1<sup>ma</sup> classis Rudimentorum.

Die 10 In Anglicanam missionem profectus est Erud. D. Clemens Scot Sac. Theol. Licent.; hic literas humaniores per 4 annos et per duos annos Philosophiam docuerat. sua voluntate ante completum Philosophiae cursum profectus est.

Die 14 in Anglicanam missionem profectus est R.D. Thomas Hawarden hic generalis praefectus per duos annos, pius et non mediocriter doctus; cum illo etiam in Angliam ob res suas temporales profectus est R.D. Thomas Brocholes procurator, rediturus ut promisit post paucos menses. ideoque absque facultatibus. Literas ad Sac. Congreg. misit Praeses die 11<sup>ma</sup>.

Die 18 ad ordines Cameraci ab Epo Eumeniensi Coadjutore Quebecensis et Vicario Generali dioecesis Cameracensis promoti sunt ad diaconatum D. Gulielm. Jones dioecesis Londin et ad sacrum presbyteratus ordinem D. Georgius Kendall.

Per aliquot dies nos hic invisit Nob. D. Petrus Giffard de Chillington,\* et in manus Praesidis contulit libras sterlingas ducentas ad promovendum novum aedificium, nihil aliud petens nisi ut pro uxore suâ aliquot ante menses defuncta cantaretur una missa, die sequenti viz. 23. Sacrum solemne pro illa intentione celebrabat Praeses et reliqui sacerdotes sacrum obtulerunt. Discessit die 24 Angliam versus cū illo huc accesserat D. Edoard. Dicconson quondam hic Vicepraeses et cum illo in Angliam est reversus.

*Octob. 1722.*

2da dies mensis (1<sup>ma</sup> enim erat dies Jovis) sacrum solemne ad invocationem Spiritus Sti. pro faelici Scholarum repetitione cantavit D. Praeses: et post jentaculum latine breviter peroravit ad studiosos in singulis literarum humaniorum Scholis.

Professor Rhaetorice R.D. Fran. Petre hic Andrews, scholares 9.

Professor Poeseos D. Jacobus Brown, scholares 12.

Professor Syntaxeos R.D. Georgius Kendall, scholares 11.

Professor Grammaticae M. Thomas Elston, scholares 13.

Professor Rudimentorum M. Gulielm Green, scholares 9.

Philosophiae Professor R.D. Bernardus Tourner et cum non essent nisi tres in priori classe visum est eundem utrique scholae praeficere Logici num. 8.

Die 10 ad Collegium accesserunt 4 Juvenes duo fratres Ricard. et Christoph. Gradell† e comitatu Lancastriensi alter 15 alter 13 annorum

\* Son of John Giffard of Black Ladies, Staffordshire and Catherine, dau. of — Langton, Esq. He succeeded to the Chillington estates on the death of his second cousin Thomas Giffard in 1718. He was married three times: (i) to Winifred, dau. of Robert Howard of Harecross, (ii) to Barbara dau. of Sir Robert Throckmorton, (iii) to Helen, dau. of Robert Roberts of Pläs-Ucha, Flintshire.

† Sons of Christopher Gradell of Barbles Moor in Ulnas Walton, Lincs., by his second wife who was one of the Winckleys of Banister Hall. Christopher became priest in 1734, a Capitular in 1755 and died at Sheffield 27 Sept., 1758, the last male representative of this branch of the family.

3<sup>tius</sup> Jacob\* [Congleton] hic Williamson puer 11 annorum, 4<sup>tus</sup> Turberville Needham\* ex comitatu de Monmouth puerulus 8. Annorum.

Die 21 In missionem Anglicanam missus est R.D. Edoardus Barlow hic Meynill peractis 4 Theologiae annis; per annum unum docuerat rudimenta.

Die 12 Scholas Theologicas aperuerunt Ex. D. Praeses et Erud [p. 105] D. Ricardus Challoner hic Willard sacrae Theol. Licent. Ille primam partem de Sacramentis, usq. ad Poenitentiam hic posteriorem.

Theologi 10 Professores et sacerdotes 6, et 6 seniores, cum famulis 101.

*Novemb. 1722.*

Initio hujus mensis seu potius in fine praecedentis ad munus et onus confessarii et Concionatoris una cum praefectura musaei promotus est D. Joan Meales hic Cornwall qui literas humaniores per 10 annos docuerat et per tot annos fuerat sacerdos, vir simplex et rectus si quis alius.

Eodem tempore Facultatibus ad tribunal poenitentiae munitus est R.D. Bern. Tourner philosophiae professor.

Dispensationem concessit Emin. D. Cardlis Gualterius Protector ut Joan. Bap. Gough natus Dunkerkae fieret alumnus hujusce Collegii Pontificii.

Die 9 recepit literas Praeses a D. Laur. Mayes procuratore nostro Romae a Sacr Cong de propag. fide omnino recusatam fuisse dimissionem officii sui quam a 6 mensibus fecerat sacrae Congregationi, et preterea confirmatam fuisse (ut ipse ab aliquibus aliis audivit) prohibitionem mittendi alumnos hujus Collegii ad alia loca studiorum causa. decretum tamen sacrae Congreg. nondum vidit nec recepit, nec illius exemplar, Praeses, quod miratur.

*Decembris 1722.*

Initio mensis discessit propter malam valetudinem Benjamin Wake-man hic Giffard ex poesi.

Literas Roma ab Agente Mayes recepit praeses ex quibus tandem constitit nondum factam esse confirmationem aliquam prioris prohibitionis mittendi alumnos ad alia Collegia, licet Dnus Mayes ex tali praesumptione scripserat ad D<sup>r</sup> Ingleton talem confirmationem datam esse, hinc magna pars querelarum contra Praesidem, quod negaret ejusmodi confirmationem vel se de ea re quicquam Româ audivisse quod verissimum erat nunquam enim de hac confirmatione ad Praesidē scripserat D. Mayes nec quisquam alius.

Literas etiam a fratre suo Episcopo Marcopolitano recepit praeses quibus significavit velle se ut Praeses iterum dimissionem suam faceret Emmtissimo Cardli Sacripanto, utque significaret Episcopum etiam id magnopere cupere. Hortabatur etiam Episcopus fratrem suum praesidem ut sicut invitatus acceperat officium praeidis ob bonum commune, sic nunc ob bonum commune, eo quod tot ex fratribus nostris displiceret vehementer ejus regimen, nunc sponte dimitteret idem officium, insinu-

\* John Turberville Needham, F.R.S., F.S.A. (1713-1781) one of the most distinguished priests educated at Douay and a foremost scientist of his age. See D.N.B. XL, 157, and Gillow *Dict.* v, 157. He was the eldest son of John Needham of the ancient family of Needham of Hilston, Monmouthshire and Margaret Lucas his wife.



avit etiam Epum Madauremsem idem cupere, magnamque partem Sacerdotum et aliorum qui statuerant nihil contribuere ad Collegii aedificationem quamdiu esset sub regimine Praesidis. Obstupuit haud parum Praeses eo quod hactenus [p. 106] in omnibus suis Epistolis Madaurensis Praesidem etiam atque etiam hortatus fuisset, ut omnem rejiceret cogitationem semet ab officio abdicandi, idem ab ipso obnixè postulassent alii in literis tum Londino tum etiam Parisiis.

Praeses ipsam Epistolam fratris sui misit ad Episcopum Madauremsem et ad fratrem suum haec fere rescripsit, mirari se hujus opinionis esse Episcopum Madauremsem, nec posse facile illud credere. Interim Praeses respondit se voluntariam dimissionem et maxime optare et petisse a sacra Congregatione in Epistola suâ ad Eminentissimū Sacrae Cong. praefectum Cardinalem de Sacripanti, nec ullam ad hunc usque diem responsionem recepisse essetne acceptata an recusata dimissio quam proposuerat. Multum tamen inter se procul dubio differre voluntariam et pacificam dimissionem, et propter calumnias et injustas querelas quorundam fratrum ad dimissionem cogi vel compelli quasi ob malam administrationem sui officii in illorum praeoccupatâ praejudiciis et falsis rumoribus opinione: propterea se necessarium putare, imo se teneri ob suiipsius et Collegii famam ut visitationem Collegii a Sacra Congregatione aut Eminentissimo Protectore prius peteret, in quâ visitatione fieret diligens examen de administratione Praesidis, de doctrina disciplina et moribus omnium et singulorum alumnorum et generatim de Convictoribus, demum de statu Collegii quoad Spiritualia et Temporalia, sicut Praedecessores sui nonnunquam ob falsas criminationes etiam fratrum suorum visitationes et petissent et obtinuissent. Denique cum fratres sui absque justâ causâ offensi sibi viderentur, declaravit praeses se tentaturum ut concederetur autoritate Pontificiâ talis visitatio: de hoc suo consilio praeses etiam certiores eadem die fecit Epum Madauremsem et D. Mayes Romae agentem.

Die Sabbato 4 Temporum Adventus Cameraci a Coadjutore Quebecensi ad sacrum presbyteratus ordinem promoti sunt R.D. Jacobus Maxwell hic Brown Scotus, et R.D. Jacobus Gandie Cestriensis, ad minores ordines Mag. Thomas Winckley hic Elston Grammaticae professor, et tres Theologi M. Joannes Collingwood Lincolnensis, M. Thomas Chambers, Londinensis et M. Joannes Cotes Dunelmensis diocesis ex Comitatu Northumbriae.

Die 21 juramentum alumnorum praestitit Georgius Ball hic Worthington diocesis Cestriensis e comitatu Lancastriae Rhetor.

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Anno, 1723.

Januar.

Die 2 mensis hujus obiit Carolus Peg Rhaetor post morbum decem circiter dierum omnibus Ecclesiae Sacramentis cum cognitione et devotione susceptis: erat ex comitatu Notinghamiae. Sequenti die sepultus est apud S. Jacobum.

Die 4 diem clausit supremum omnibus Ecclesiae Sacramentis cum cognitione et summa devotione suceptis nobilis Juvenis Henricus Markham de Ollerton 4tus filius ex septem qui hic studuerant in Collegio, erat

etiam in Rhaetorica, et similiter aegrotaverat per 10 dies. Uterque Catarrha ut aiunt suffocante extinctus, nullus enim erat in Collegio morbus contagiosus.

Die 6<sup>a</sup> in festo Epiphaniae in Ecclesia Parochiali Sti Jacobi sepultus est, uterque paulo extra Cancellos Capellae B.V.

Die 4 Archytecus cum quo pactum duplex initum fuerat mense maio et posterius mense Augusto, ut ibidem declaratur, coepit demoliri seu destruere vetus aedificium,\* tam Collegii quam Capellae.

Schola Theologica mutata est in Oratorium durante tempore aedificationis, et in Refectorio docebant S. Theologiae professores.

Literas a variis accepit Praeses, quibus significabant se vehementer timere ne aere alieno maxime gravaretur Collegium ex novâ propositâ aedificatione, praesertim cum propter nova et severa Catholicis in Anglia imposita tributa, Benefactores et Amici nostri inhabiles redderentur ad subsidia conferenda. Et quidem infortunata admodum accidit eo ipso tempore verum hac cautione uti sunt Praeses et Seniores ut antequam ullum pactum inirent cum Archylecto, totam haberent pecuniae summam quae necessaria erat novo aedificio, et ex conditionibus in pacto expressis nullam jacturam pati poterat Collegium ex mutationibus quae frequenter contingere solent in speciebus monetae Regis Galliae. contracta tamen fuerat gravis census vitalitius solvendus Comiti de Rivers ad quam satisfaciendam annuatim obligationem, opem a Benefactoribus sperabat et expectabat Praeses.

Literas circa diem 25 accepit ab Ilustmo Madaurensi Praeses quibus ipsum iterum vehementer adhortatus est ut maneret in suo Praesidis officio, utque nullam haberet rationem illorum qui quicquam in contrarium ad ipsum scripserant. Scripsit eodem tempore ad Praesidem Procurator Londinensis D. Day Epum Madaurensis declarasse se nihil unquam scripsisse ad Fratrem Praesidis Rdssmum Marcopolitanum, quasi cuperet ut praeses se abdicaret ab officio: quinimo Marcopolitanum fassum se hoc eo animo tantum scripsisse ut induceret Praesidem ad renovandam sui officii dimissionem.

Literas Romam misit Marcopolitanus quibus petiit sibi concedi Coadjutorem.

Visum est hic inserere Epistolam Procuratoris Lond. D. Day ad Agentem nostrum D. Laur. Mayes datam die 18 mensis hujus S.V.

\*The old building, as is shown in the frontispiece to the *Third Douay Diary* (C.R.S.x.) was a quadrangle with four turrets at the inner corners and the chapel continuing in a line with the western and principal front towards the south. This chapel, now about to be rebuilt by Dr. Witham, was built by Dr. Worthington, the third president in 1602-3, and at the same time he rebuilt part at least of the western front of the College, including a new refectory. But it is difficult to say whether the building as shown in the 1627 engraving was erected by him or whether the other three sides of the quadrangle were not part of the original buildings occupied by Allen and hallowed by the daily presence of so many future martyrs. The damage done to the ancient fabric during the sieges of 1710 and 1712 had left it very insecure and Dr. Witham described it as "old and decayed," adding "part of which was ready to fall upon our heads with every great wind and storm." In rebuilding he followed out the plan of the old college and his new western front and chapel occupied the same sites as their predecessors, but were loftier in elevation. The other three sides of the quadrangle remained, though the architect prepared plans for rebuilding them, but this work was not executed for many years and eventually only the northern and southern wings were built, the east side being left open for garden.



Sr, I return you many thanks for the favour of yours of the 10<sup>th</sup> of gbr., but as I find the ill will and prejudice of several persons in ye north against Mr. Witham occasion'd by certain reports given out and confidently assured for unquestionable informations [p. 108] from Rome are not so easy to be allayd as they were to be rais'd, so I am forc'd to trouble you once more upon that subject; not so much to desire new light to this matter as to let you know what I think of the whole by ye light you have allready afforded me and this I believe may be of some use to you when you write to D<sup>r</sup> Ingleton and some service also to our Body.

1 Who it was that procured *the prohibition* etc. is as much unknown here as with you, tho' some make no difficulty to fasten it on Mr. Withā.

And as to the encouragement to endeavour at procuring a re-  
2 vocation of it, Mr. Witham while he was here, did certainly *signifie* that it was then a proper time to try what might be done. But

some months after he says the posture of things was very different from what he had apprehended before, and besides not at all favourable for such design. He likewise very freely ownes that when you wrote him

word of the memorial being to be presented he *earnestly charged*  
3 you to let nothing be determined before he had proposed what he had to say. But nothing of all this is objected against Mr. Witham.

4 He is charged with tricking intrigues, with being a *hidden Jesuit* and disposed to make way for the Jesuits into the Col. of Dou. with having a design *to hook Mrs. Greys estate into his own clutches*, with

5 the last degree of insincerity and dissimulation, such as makes what he says in verbo Sacerdotis to be no more regarded than the

6 word of a knight of the post. \* They will have him out, or neither *money or youth* shall go from the North to supply the house in any kind.

But what think you is ye reason of all this? first because when Mr. Mayes had expressly informed Dr. Ingleton that at the very time

7 that the petition was ready to be given in, a *letter from Mr. Witham* to the Cong. had occasion'd a confirmation of the decree of

8 prohibition, Mr. Withā had the face to write, he never heard of any Confirmation. This they say is a matchless piece of insincerity,

9 because Mr. Mayes told Dr. Ingleton that he *had inform'd* Mr. Witham of the *Confirmation* 2ndly because he sent the said *letter to*

a *Jesuit* to be delivered to the Congregation, wch shews he had intimate friends amongst those gentlemen, and was joynd with them in a deep design to undermine the Clergy.

Now Sr, if you reflect a little upon this, you must needs bear witness that the heinous outcries against Mr. Witham are intirely without cause for tho' you told Dr. Ingleton you would give Mr. Witham notice of the *confirmation*, yet you *changed* your mind and did not think it necessary to write it to him. So that when he said he had not heard of the confirmation, his insincerity and dissimulation was really none at all. In the next place it is evident as you write yourself in yours of Novbr the 17 to

Mr Witham that there *was no Confirmation*, but as you say a  
10 *resolution* taken to confirm it, wch will certainly satisfie any one

living that Mr. Witham was no such deep dissembler, when he said he had not heard of any Confirmation made and did not believe it.

And even as to the resolution you mention, you looked upon it  
 II that *speedy notice* to Mr. Witham of the Confirmation would be certainly the consequence of that resolution. Now Sr the notice *to this day* has not been received, therefore it is most natural to believe, that the cause of the necessary consequence was wanting, and that the resolution was never taken. In the 3d place, tho in yours to me ye say that when you had written to Mr. Withā, to assure him that nothing would be done for the present [p. 109] in regard to the petition *he before he received your letter wrote to the Congregation*, upon wch the prohibition was renew'd. Yet I am perswaded that Mr. Witham writt no letter at all to the Congreg. in that intervall: because no letter of his dated about that time has ever yet been seen by any person, and the letter wch he ownes *he writt to Sacripanti* was dated in the forgoing March if not in february, wch was several *months before* you gave him notice of the design of petitioning. Now the report of a letter written in such a juncture and immediately attended with such an ill effect, has been so far improved against Mr. Witham to make him odious, that some persons seem to think him unfit to *live upon the face of the earth*. And what shall I say if there was never any such thing in reality, as either the letter or the effect. The effect, that is the confirmation of etc. never had a being, as yours of the 7<sup>th</sup> of last november plainly acknowledges. And as to the letter I most earnestly beg the favour of you to make a careful enquiry whether there ever was any such. If there was, it may easily be known by the date wch I believe F. Fief will not refuse to tell you, if he will not shew you the letter it self. But I am satisfyd there was noe such letter not only because Mr. Witham *declares there was not*, but because what you say of it, being not confirmed by any proof of the date may very well be no more than a conjecture. I need not say anything of ye hand by wch Mr. Witham sent his letter in Lent to be offered by some of ye Scottish Jesuits to Sacripanti. for tho' this was not the best way, yet it might be used without any such design as Mr. Witham is peremptorily tax'd with. And I know that this invidious representation of that step never came from you, but from another person. If a copie of that letter could be procur'd it would be of great service, and either justifie or convict Mr. Witham beyond reply. Excuse Dr. Sr. this freedome I take on this occasion. I conceive this to be a necessary caution, because whatever you write is supposed to be so well examined and unquestionable, that it is made use of to overrule and silence any person that offers to plead the least degree of common honesty in behalf of Mr. Witham.

I am yrs. Thom Day.

*Remarks on this letter.* 1 This I declare that Mnsr Santini writt to me he had orders from Rome to forbid me to let any one go from hence to study at Paris, nay to hinder as much as in me lay any one from going thither out of England before I so much as thought or dream't of it. vide Exemplar hujus Epist in hoc Diario feb., 1719 1. ingenue fateor talem prohibitionem ob multas rationes mihi visam esse ob bonum hujus Collegii Duacensis, unde respondi me libenter obtemperaturum et petii ut dignaretur significare quā auctoritate facta esset haec prohibitio. verisimile est meam promptam obedientiam et dictam quaestionem



propositam, occasionem dedisse dicto nuntio ut obtineret illam strictam prohibitionem a suâ sancttate, quam paucos post menses misit, ut videre est iterum in hoc diario mense 7bri ejusdem anni 1719. Et certè cum Illustrsm<sup>s</sup> Nuntius sciret a Dno Stricklando, suspicari nonnullos, ipsum quandoque publicare nonnulla tanquam Sedis Apostolicæ mandata, quæ revera non erant nisi ab ipso Internuntio, forte postea obtinuit supradictam prohibitionem unde memini me uni vel alteri ex senioribus dixisse, talem prohibitionem obtentam fuisse ex iis quæ scripseram ad Dnum Santinum.

2 I owne when B. Giffard at Stafford house an. 1721 mense 10bri signifyd to me his great desire of having the aforesaid prohibition recalled I told him as I then thought, that it seem'd a proper time for such a petition, because twas then thought there would soon be an accommodation betwixt Rome and those who in France had opposed the Constitution, but the contrary appeared soon after. But even at that time I did not promise B. Giffard that I would joyn in that petition, and soon after when I [p. 110] returned home and consider'd the loss of our funds at Paris by wch we should have every year fewer by 14 or 15 of those who were bred up in order to take to our state of life, I was fully persuaded that we could not even hope to have enough for Masters and Officers here and so could not pretend from this Colledge only to supply S. Gregories. I consider'd the inconveniencies wch even had happen'd in my predecessor's time who frequently wanted Masters. I reflected on ye continual underhand tampering with our young men here to draw them to S. Gregories, and that if this prohibition allready given was taken off by authority from Rome who had only connived at it before, those of S. Gregories would hereafter be more importune than ever and even challenge a right to be supply'd by us, for these reasons tho' I heartily wished we could furnish S. Gregories, yet looking upon it impossible since the loss of our funds, I was resolved at least not to joyn in any petition for having the prohibition taken off, as I declared in divers letters to Engld.

3 As to what is said that *I charged Mr. Mayes not to let anything be determined till I had proposed what I had to say*. Tis true when about feb. last Mr. Mayes acquainted me that he was to draw up a petition to get the prohibition revoked by instructions from Dr. Ingleton, who had also writt to him that this was to be *done with my consent* I writt to the best of my memory thus to Mr. Mayes that I admired Dr. Ingleton should write it was with my consent, since he had never yet asked my consent about it and apprehending that the petition was to be drawn as *expressing my consent*, I told him I desired to be heard before any petition in that manner, and that I believe Rome would scarce recall their prohibition without asking whether I and others here had any thing to say about it. Take notice this letter was about february last.

4 The objection of my being a *hidden Jesuit etc.* is ridiculous. I declare I am the farthest of it that any one can be. I never liked neither their principles nor their ways. I think I have taken the most prudent methods to keep them always out of this house, wch not long ago they

were within ams ace\* of getting from us by imprudent ways of some here. Now we are all and even for conscience sake, zealous for all the Apostolical decrees, we are as much against the Jesuits as ever both as to Grace and morals, I never shewed them any more than common charity and civility and thus we defie the Jesuits. Mr. Mayes has in his hands sufficient proofs how far I am from being Jesuitically affected. For about 3 years ago I writt him a memorial to be presented, if he thought fit in my name, setting forth the inconveniences dissensions etc. by their having any superiority even in ye Rom. Colledge or any where else. I have writt another memorial lately to him to the same effect and at the same time have testified that all our BB in Engl'd readily received Unigenitus and that those of Paris never joynd with the Appellants and this memorial I advised Mr. Mayes to present in order to stop any confirmation of the prohibition wch he has [p. 111] so long supposed would shortly be sent and wch to this day has never appeared and I wish he may get that needless confirmation wch he talks of stopp'd, because tis so much apprehended that it would be a reflection on those of the Seminary as if they were not sound in doctrine. But here again Mr. Mayes is in a wrong supposition when he says the Congreg. have resolv'd a confirmation of the prohibition wch forbids us to send any to S. Greg. for in the former prohibition S. Gregs. and Paris is not named.

5 *a design on Mrs. Gregs Estate.* I protest this never entered into my head, nor do I know the least grounds for such a suspicion only that one or 2 of our Seniors, who now are not here, have said in a jest that, the rents there would do well or better to be employ'd taking degrees here. This was a mere jest.

6 Upon these suppositions of my being Jesuitically affected, of my design on Mrs. Gregs estate, of my having ruin'd the Seminary, of my representing them and others as almost heretics are points upon wch my good northern BB. are resolved neither to send supplys of youths nor money. It seems strange they shou'd come to such resolutions, not only against me, but their old venerable mother without further examination what grounds there are for such accusations. They have been imprudent as well as unjust to an extravagant decree, to publish even to lay persons these their suspicions thus to expose the whole Clergy as well as themselves. If at any time there happen any dissensions among us upon any account whatsoever, we shoud keep them among our selves, and therefore I cou'd not but wonder that an adversarie of mine shou'd write a circular letter of complaints of this nature against me to be sent to every Chapterman of the English Chapter and read in the Chapter and a copie of it was shewn by one of our priests to Fath. Bruno the Franciscan last year at London when he went to their chapter, and he certainly saw it, as he told me ye whole contents as I had heard before from London. I am sure they cannot blame me for discovering these dissensions, for I have been merely upon the defensive, nor yet to this day have complained to any lay man, and have stifled letters wch as B. Giff.

\* "Ams ace" also written Ambs ace, Aumes ace, Ames ace, is an obsolete expression originally meaning "both aces" i.e. the lowest possible throw at dice. Hence it was used figuratively to mean "on the verge of" or as we might even now say "within an ace of."



knows, would have encreasd the breatch tho they might seem to justifie me and silence my adversaries.

7 *a letter from Mr. Witham to ye Congregation etc.* I'll here endeavour as fairly and clearly as I can to clear the mistakes that perhaps Mr. Day and even Mr. Mayes are in as to the letter that tis pretended I sent to ye Congregation. 1<sup>st</sup> I never sent any letter at all to ye Congregation since about 3 years ago and that was in vindication of B. Giff against Dr Strickland. I writt my letter to Cardl Sacripanti as prefect of the Congreg. dated in last March about the 27 and in that letter I made my dimission, I desird so much might be order'd yearly here for passing degrees. I commended the zeal both of this house and this University towards [p. 112] the Apostolical See, I mentiond the prohibition made not to send any to study else where, I told the Cardl we had had formerly here a great number of doctors etc. but I said nothing reflecting on the Doctrine of any in Engld., or at S. Gregs. this letter may possibly be the letter wch Mr. Mayes in some letters said I had writt to ye *Congregation*, and of wch Mr. Mayes writt to Mr. Day that *when he had writt to assure me nothing would be done at that time in regard of the petition I before I received his letter writt to ye Congregation etc.* I know not I say whether Mr. Mayes may not mean the letter I writt to Sacripanti, wch I writt about the same time yt I first heard from him that a petition was designed, and Mr. Day is mistaken when he says this letter to Sacripanti was writt by me some months before Mr. Mayes gave me any notice of the petition. but Mr. Mayes in one letter to me, wch I sent to Bishop Giff, said that he thought and supposed I had writt some other later letter to ye Congregation, even after I had promised B. Giff, that I would not meddle one way nor other with the petition or the revocation. All I can say to this matter is, that I never writt any letter but that to Cardl Sacrip. in Lent about ye end of March. And that after B. Giff writ to me in May last to desire me not to interferr nor meddle with any thing as to the petition, I kept my promiss and never writt nor troubled myself more about it. I guess that after that Mayes was desird to present his petition and that he excused him self and said a letter of mine had made it impracticable, and they understood him of some late letter, nay, as I said, he supposed I had writt some 2d late letter, but this was his mistake, wch he own'd in that letter I sent to B. Giff, and added that he hoped the owning of this his mistake, would contribute to restore peace among us.

8 *a matchless piece of insincerity, Mr. Mayes writt to Dr. Ingleton in August last that he had inform'd Mr. Witham of the confirmation, and Mr. Witham had the face to declare and in verbo sacerdotis that he never heard of any confirmation etc.* My friend Mr. Mayes by writing thus to Dr. Ingleton that he had informed me or would informe me the next post of the confirmation of the prohibition wch he never mentioned to me before his letter dated novbr the 17 did me a very great injury, tho he did not design it. Our BB. hearing from Dr. Ingleton that by his letter Mayes had informed me and I denying I heard any thing of it, made them cry out loudly against my insincerity dissimulation, tricks etc. and yet I writt nothing but the naked truth: for to this day Jan. 31, 1723 I hear

nothing of any such Confirmation nor ever had an answer to my letter to Sacripanti nor about my dimission being accepted or refused. Mr. Mayes afterwards in his letter nov<sup>br</sup> ye 17 ownd he had not informed me of the information and gives the reason that *he supposed* I should very soon receive it, but the mischief was done before: he had not informed me as he had writt before he had to Dr. Ingleton.

9 Another head of the accusations against me is that the letter wch I writt to Sacripanti was to be delivered *by some of the Scotch Jesuits*. I have declared in divers letters to England that the reason I sent it in that manner, viz to my Lord Nidsdale desiring [p. 113] to give it to some one of the Scotch Colledge to be given to their protector Sacripanti and to F. Fief if at Rome, for here t'was thought he was gone to Naples, was for this reason only, that I was persuaded Mr. Mayes would not present a letter with my dimission wch I then made forseeing the storm that those of S. Gregories would raise against me. I knew of no other way to get it presented, tis true Father Fief pretended to me that Card<sup>l</sup> Sacripanti read him my letter (wch I sent sealed) discoursed with him about it, and bad him carry it to Card<sup>l</sup> Gualteri our protector. F. Fief writt 2 or 3 letters to me to let me know how he had commended me and acted zealously in what Sacripanti imployed him about, but I never answered any one of his letters, because I would have nothing to do with him, and forsoaw the odium his meddling would bring upon me: here is the grand crime, here's ye grounds of my being a Jesuit etc.

10 Mr. Mayes in his letter of last Novbr 17. says that the Congregation *had resolved* to give a *confirmation* of the former *prohibition* to send *alumnito Paris*. Hitherto both the *confirmation* and the *resolve* seem only his *suppositions* and bare imaginations, as it was his mistaken supposition that *Paris* was named in ye former prohibition see this Diary 7br 1719, where are registered the 2 letters of Card<sup>l</sup> Pauluccio with that of Mr. Santini who sent me the prohibitions and who takes notice that Paris is not named, I have also good reasons to think the Congregation never *resolved* nor designed any Confirmation, for tis not the stile of Rome nor custome as I think Mayes himself writt, for the congregation of the Propaganda nor I believe of any Congregation to take upon themselves either to confirm or to dispense with what the Pope has once done *proprio motu*, and as for those two prohibitions sent me by the Internunce Santini, wch are registred 7br 1719, they were both given by the Pope himself with a *Mandat Sanctitas sua* and sent me by the Popes chief minister and secretary *nomine suae sanctitatis*. To what purpose then to *suppose* a needless and unusuall resolve and confirmation from the Propaganda? wch I am persuaded never was designed nor will ever be heard of. Agents at Rome ought to be very carefull, and not write their suppositions, nor informe others that they themselves have writt what they have not writt, wch has occasioned such unheard of complaints, divisions and mistakes, wch perhaps will never be set to rights again. Da pacem et da patientiam Dne.

Februar. 1723.

[p. 114] Initio mensis effossus est lapis fundamentalis veteris Capellae cum hacce inscriptione



Anno 1602. Thom Worthingtonus.

Paratus est alius lapis Angularis quadratus pro fundamento novae Ecclesiae cum hac inscriptione.

D.O.M., B.M.V. et S. Thom. Cant. M.

BONAV. GIFFARD EPUS MADAUR.

R. WITHAM PRAESES an 1723

a fund Colleg. an 155

Architect A. J. Wattelin :

Die 7 discessit Thomas Malpas Hibernus hic Fitzherbert e Rhaetorica.

Die 9<sup>ma</sup> mane ceremoniam in Rituali Rom praescriptam pro fundandâ novâ Ecclesiâ, ex commissione Guidonis Epi Atrebatensis\* peragente Erud. D. Nic Febure Christianitatis Decano positus est ab ipso assistente Ex. D. Praeside cum omnibus Senioribus, Professoribus, Theologicis, Alumnis etc lapis primarius in medio post summum Altare versus muros Civitatis, et inter Orientem et Austrum positus fuit.

Circa finem mensis inchoata fuere fundamenta novae partis Collegii versus Coemeterium S. Jacobi, et hortum Coll. nobilium.

*Mart. an. 1723.*

Die 4<sup>to</sup> huc accessit Gilbertus Tempest juvenis 20 circiter annorum, nominatus a R.D. Gulielmo Tempest hujus Coll. alumno et in Anglia missionario ad foundationem factam a R.D. Roberto Tempest ut in lib. memoriali Praesides.†

Die 18 nuntium ex Anglia recepit Praeses non reversurum huc R.D. Thomam Brocholes nuper Coll. Procuratorem, adeoque de ejus perfectione in vineam Anglicanam, sacram Cong. de Propag. fide, pro officii sui ratione certiore fecit Ex. D. Praeses.

Impressae sunt instructiones quaedam pro illis qui quotannis faciunt exercitia spiritualia a Dno Praeside compositae.

Habitaesunt de more examinationes Humanistarum.

Die 23 discessit in Angliam Aug. Jenison e logica.

*April 1723.*

Die . . . . . accessit huc Ludovicus Brown vere Black,‡ qui in Italiâ conversus ad fidem, primum fuerat in Collegio Anglorum Romae, deinde Audomari ; admittitur ad Syntaxim.

Ob malam valetudinem in Angliam ad tempus proficisci coactus Ricardus Fornby, alumnus hujus Collegii Philosophus 2di anni.

Die 18 juramentum alumnorum praestitit Joan. Couban hic Butler philosophus 1<sup>mi</sup> anni et bonae spei.

[p. 115] Die 24. Epistolam a Cardinale Secretario tit. St<sup>ae</sup> Agnetis nomine Sanctitatis suae scriptam recepit Praeses cujus hoc est exemplar.

\* Mgr. Guido de Sève de Rochechouart who was Bishop of Arras for 54 years, 1670-1724.

† See *Third Douay Diary*, C.R.S. x, 244-246.

‡ Lewis Francis Black, son of John and Catherine Black, London, protestants. He was born 31 July, 1703, was converted at Avignon in 1719 and sent to Rome where he entered the English College, 3 July, 1720. On 24 Sept., 1721, he left for St. Omer's and studied there till this date. He was of an insubordinate and impertinent character and was finally dismissed in 1726.

Perillustri et Adm<sup>m</sup> R.D. Rob. Witham Rectori Coll. Pont. Anglorum etc.

Perillustri et ad<sup>m</sup> R. Dne, Quanquam SSmus. Pater cognitum habeat, eâ istius sui Collegii alumnos in disciplinarum studio ratione uti, quam Stae memoriae Clem XI quatuor abhinc annis edixit Dominationi tuae, ut scilicet in ipso tantum Collegio, et a praeceptoribus ibi solum scientia literarum imbutis educatisque instruantur: attamen tanti ducit rem ita peractum iri ut Sanctitas sua te iterum monendum existimaverit, sedulo incumbas ne secus accadat. In hujusmodi negotio nemo non videt agi dignitatem vestram, missionumque utilitatem. Altera enim postulat ut neminem lateat, tanto vos ingenio tantâque doctrinâ splendescere ut novis indies edocendis alumnis sufficiatis: altera ut probatis opinionibus, quaeque in rem vestram sint, excolantur adolescentes. Ad haec 3tium modo argumentum accedit, fructus nimirum ex ista agendi ratione adhuc perceptus, Qui cum multum diligentiae tuae debeatur, gravissimâ idcirco te laude. SSS. pater complexus est. Ego verò et hoc et aliis nominibus diligo te plurimum, cupioque ut saepius benevolentiae meae periculum facias. Romae 3 Aprilis 1723.

Dominationis tuae.

Ad officia

f Cardlis Stae Agnetis.

Haec epistola missa fuit per Internuntium Bruxellensem iterando eadem mandata in literis datis die 21 Aprilis. Rescripsit Praeses ad Cardinalem Secretarium Status et ad Internuntium die 30 Aprilis se obtemperaturum.

Maii, 1723.

Die 1mo recepit alias literas ejusdem fere tenoris a Sacra Cong. de Propag fide signatas a Cardli Sacripanto praefecto et transmissas ab Internuntio Bruxellensi.

Die 22da Maii Cameraci ad sacros ordines promoti sunt viz Mag Joan. Collingwood, M. Thom. Chamber et M. Joan. Coates ad Subdiaconatum; D. Rob. Kendall, D. Gulielmus Thornborough et D. Thom. Atkinson ad Diaconatum; D. Gulielmus Maire et D. Gulielmus Jones ad sacrum presbyteratus ordinem.

Die 27 primitias suas mane hora 6ta obtulit R. D. D. Gulielmus Jones hic Collington, et hora 10<sup>ma</sup> solemni ritu D. Gulielmus Maire Dunelmensis de Hartbushes.

Jun. 1723

[p 116] Die 1 huc accessit Georgius Bates hic Throckmorton post mortem patris qui Catholicus non erat, mater vero Catholica, nondum in Ecclesiae communionem receptus fuerat 14 circiter annorum juvenis.

Die 5 accesserunt Thomas Brian \*Hibernus, et Georgius Vavasour filius Petri Vavasour de Willoughtofts et Saltmarsh in comitatu Eboracensi.

\* Oliver Grace alias Thomas Bryan was son of Michael Grace of Gracefield and Mary daughter of John Galway, and grandson of Oliver Grace Esq., Chief Remembrancer of the Court of Exchequer in Ireland and Elizabeth daughter of John Bryan of Bawnmore, whence his *alias*. He was born 1704; married Mary daughter of John Dowell of Montagh, now Mantua House and died at Kilkenny 24 August, 1781.



Die 7 accessit Henricus Jailor hic Blackwell Parisiis missus a Sap D. D<sup>r</sup> Ingleton ut hic in humanioribus literis magis instructus idoneus reddatur ad studia in seminario Parisiensi.

Hac die quasi convivium omnibus in Refectorio exhibuit Ex D. Praeses viz tres portiones et vinum juxta consuetam quantitatem quae concedi solet et quae excedi non debet eo quod esset dies festus S. Roberti.

Die 1<sup>mo</sup> hujus mensis Logicam propugnarunt in Collegio et in Schola fratrum Praedicatorum praeside R.D. Bernardo mane Rob. Pinkhard hic Joan Typper et Edoardus Mullineux, a meridie Joan Paston et Joan Butler vere Couban.

*Jul. 1723.*

Die 3 discessit Gilbertus Tempest e rudimentis. Circa idem tempus Joannes Rowe ob negotia ad familiam spectantia.

Die 14 Philosophiam Universam sub Rd. D. Bern. Tournier in aula Collegii S. Th. P.P. Praedicatorum propugnarunt mane Edoardus Bartlet, a meridie Joan. Bapt. Gough.

Die 19 Theologiam Universam praeside Ex. D. Rob. Witham etc. propugnavit in Collegio et Schola P.P. Praed. R. D. Gulielmus Maire cum non modico applausu.

Dies 28 Theses Theologicas de sacramentis, praeside Erud. D. Chaloner Vicepraeside, propugnabat mane D. Georgius Markham, a meridie D. Thomas Atkinson diaconus.

Die 29 mane Dnus Thom. Chambers Subdiac.

Die 30 mane D. Joan. Cotes Subdiac.

A meridie D. Gulielmus Thornborough diaconus.

Die 31 mane D. Rob. Kendall Diaconus.

Huc accessit circa diem 20 hujus mensis Rolandus Eyre de Hassop et Eastwell filius Thom. Eyre Armigeri et [blank]\* Holman.

*Aug. 1723.*

[p. 117] Die 3 discessit ob malam valetudinem Jacobus How hic Tournier ex poesi, bonae spei juvenis

Die 2 Sacrum solemne pro defunctis celebratum est pro animâ Gulielm Witham nepotis Dni Praesidis etc.†

Die 7 huc accesserunt duo juvenes filii Joannis Haughton Dalton‡ de Thurnham in comitatu Lancastriae Armigeri, natu major hic vocatur Gulielmus Haughton, minor Joannes, rudimentis operam daturi, illos ex Anglia ad Collegiū adduxit R.D. Cuthbertus Haydock reversurus in Angliam.

\* The name of Rowland Eyre's mother was Mary Holman. She was the daughter of George Holman of Warkworth and the Lady Anastasia Stafford, daughter of the martyr Ven. William Steward, Viscount Stafford. He married the Hon. Mary Widdrington, dau. of William, fourth Lord Widdrington.

† William Witham, Esq. of Cliffe, son of the President's eldest brother John Witham and Elizabeth dau. of Edward Standish of Standish, Esq. He married Anne dau. of Sir Henry Lawson, Bart. of Brough, Yorkshire.

‡ Son of William Hoghton and Elizabeth dau. and coheirss of Robert Dalton of Thurnham Hall. He assumed the name of Dalton about 1710. He married Frances dau. of Sir Piers Mostyn of Talacre Hall, Bart. Of his sons here named William the elder died without issue. John succeeded to the estates of Thurnham Hall and Park Hall, and married Catherine dau. of Henry Whittingham of Whittingham Hall.

Die 10 discessit Joannes Machmahon hic Cooper e poesi.

Literas ab Illustrmo Nuntio Bruxellensi accepit praeses quibus significavit sibi gratissimum fore si ipsum certiorē faceret de censura Duacensi lata die 22 Aug an. 1722 et de omnibus ad illam spectantibus et in ea contentis annuit praeses, idque praestitit variis Epistolis.

Rogabatur Praeses obnixē a nepote sua ut ad inspiciendas rationes spectantes ad bona temporalia familiae in Angliā se conferret, Praeses se excusatum cupiit.

*Sepbr. 1723.*

Non mediocriter perturbati sumus morbō quodom [*sic*] simili sudori Anglico, quo multi Atrebati et in eā provinciā, et in locis et oppidulis nobis vicinis, intra unū aut alterum diem, ex hāc vitā sublatis sunt, unde et preces publicas et benedictionem SSS. Sacramenti singulis diebus in singulis Ecclesiis mandavit Rdssms Epus.

Die 21 hinc discessit vocatus a parentibus Georgius Clifton filius nob. dni Gervasii Clifton Baroneti e rudimentis.

Invisit nos transeundo R.D. Lacy alias Eyston missionarius Londini qui strenue per non paucos annos laboraverat et plurimos ad fidem Catholicam converterat.

Ad novum portum ad Carthusianos hinc discesserat Henricus Blackwell at post paucos dies rediit.

*Octobris, 1723.*

[p. 118] Prima die mensis post missam solemnem de Spiritu Sto Scholas aperuit Praeses, habita ad omnes simul brevi oratione et admonitione ad Magistros et Scholares in singulis classibus. Oratio habita est in Refectorio.

Philosophiae professores R.D. Bernardus Tourner et R.D. georgius Kendall.

Rhaetoricae professor R. D. Jacobus Brown Maxwell.

Poesios R.D. Gulielmus Maire.

Syntaxeos R.D. Fran. Andrews alias Petre.

Grammaticae Mag. Green alias Scot.

Rudimentorum R.D. Gulielmus Collington alias Jones.

Accesserunt die 9<sup>ta</sup> duo juvenes Thomas et Henricus Henneage de Hainton;\* illos huc conduxit R.D. [*blank*] Sheperd Sac. Coll. Ulissipon.

Die 12 Scholae Theologicae apertae sunt Professores Ex D. Praeses et Erud. D. Vicepraeses Sac. Theol. Licent.

Numerus omnium in Collegio.

Seniores 7.

Ex. D. R. Witham Praeses et Sac. Theol. professor.

Erud. D. Ric. Challoner Vicep. et Praef. Studiorum.

R.D. Fran. Squib hic Petre Procurator.

R. D. Bern. Tourner Phiae professor.

\* Thomas Henry Heneage and Henry Heneage were the first and second sons of George Heneage of Hainton, Esq. and Elizabeth dau. of Sir Henry Hunloke. Thomas Henry married Anna Morice dau. of Roboalde Fieschi Count de Lavagno in Genoa. Henry was born 28 Nov., 1708, and died 16 July, 1755. The priest who escorted them was the Rev. John Shepherd, ordained at Lisbon about 1706 and who in this same year 1723 became Archdeacon of Lincolnshire, Rutland and Notts, and afterwards was Dean of the Chapter. He died in London 27 Oct., 1761.



R. D. Henricus Kendall praefect. Generalis.

R. D. Joan. Cornwall vere Meals musaei Praefectus Concionator et Confessor ordinarius.

R. D. Georgius Kendall Philos. professor

Scholarum magistri 5.

R. D. Fran. Andrews Syntax. professor.

R. D. Jacobus Brown Maxwell Rhaet. Prof.

R. D. Gulielmus Mayer Poesios Prof.

R. D. Joan. Collington Rudim. Prof.

Mag. Gulielmus Green Gram. Professor.

Theologi 11.

R. D. Jacobus Gandie.

D. Joannes Coates—Subdiac.

D. Rob. Kendall diac.

Mag. Georg. Markham.

D. Gulielm. Thornbourg diac.

Mr. Thom. Elston.

D. Thom. Atkinson diac.

Mr. Joan. Gough.

D. Joan. Collingwood Subdia.

Mr. Edward<sup>s</sup> Bartlet.

D. Thom. Chambers Subd.

Philosophi 1<sup>mi</sup> Anni 6.

Edward<sup>s</sup> Mullineux hic Harrington.

Rob. Pinkard hic Joan Tipper.

Joan. Paston.

Joan. Wilkinson.

Joan. Meynill verè Barlow.

Joannes Butler.

Philosophi 2<sup>di</sup> Anni 8.

Fran. Plowden.

Gulielm. Giffard. Wakman.

Jacob<sup>s</sup> Smith.

Henricus Salkeld.

Georgius Worthington vere Ball.

Samuel Cox.

Edoard Petre.

Henricus Wells.

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Rhaetores, 7.

Joan. Whitgrave.

Carolus Markham

Thom Vavasour

Georg. Aschough

Thom Holdforth

Joan. Rowe.

Gulielm. Hassall

Poetae, 17.

Thom. Roydon

Robertus Cholomley [Cholmeley]

Joan. Stapleton

Fran Chomolly [Cholmeley]

Joan. Pinchon vere Wolf

Gulielmus Foster

Joan. Hankin

Thomas Smith

Edoard. Kitchin

Georgius Throckmorton—Bates

Gulielmus Maire

Ludovicus Brown

Henricus Blackwell

Joannes Moore

Joan. Belson

Thomas Bryan, Oliverius Grace\*

Edoard. Wilford—Stafford

Syntaxiani, 11.

Josephus Williams

Thomas Berrington

Jacobus Elston Winckley

Bernardus Howard

Edoardus Elston Winckley

Petrus Hesket

\* See note, p. 111.

Georgius Vavasour	Edoardus Bourn—Simpson
Jacobus Selby Strother.	Joan Clayton—Hawkins
Joannes Eliot Sayre	

## Grammatici, 7.

Joannes Samuel.	Carolus Nevill—Stonor
Thomas Belson	Rob. Markham
Augustinus Rowe	Gulielmus Rowe
Thomas Nevill—Stonor	

## In Rudimentis. Figuristae 17.\*

Edoard. Markham	Thomas Heneage
Andreas Johnson	Henricus Heneage
Turbervillus Needham	Gulielmus Haughton
Geo. Henricus Heddon	Joan. Haughton
Hieronymus de Barreda	Rowlandus Kemp—Eyre
Christoph. Gradell.	Joannes Rowe
Ricardus Gradell	Major Vavasour
Jacobus Williamson	Benedictus Conquest

## Famuli 9.

Josephus Lalaigue, promus	Philippus . . . . . hortulanus
Petrus Nerville, cocus.	. . . . . Rowland, sutor.
Petrus Potier, famulus Praesidis	Pulle . . . . . lictor.
Joan. Bapt. . . . . ostiarius	Daniel †Oniel.

. . . . . famulus infirmorum personæ omnino 105.

Die 15 Octobris absoluti muri, tum Ecclesiae tum novi aedificii.

Die 17 reversus est Joannes Rowe Rhaetor et cū eo venit cognatus ejus alter Joan. Rowe ad rudimenta.

## Novemb. 1723.

[p. 120] Discessit Insulas ob valetudinem Carolus Markham.

Die 6 accesserunt ad Logicam Henricus Wells e Collegio Audomarensi.

Et ex Anglia Major† Vavasour et Benedictus Conquest§ ad rudimenta.

Invisit nos transiens in Angliam D. Georgius Bishop de Brailes Diaconus et Baccalaureus Sac. Facultatis Parisiensis.

Juramentum hoc mense praestitit die 1. Georg. Crosby hic Ashough. ||

## December 1723.

Die 2 pie obiit omnibus Ecclesiae sacramentis munitus pustularum morbo nob. D. Jacobus Smith, nepos Illustmi et Rdssmi Jacobi Smith Epi Callipolitani, annos natus octodecim Philosophus primi anni.

Die 3 Ex. D. Praeses misit nob. Juvenem Thomas Smith 4tum et unicum jam relictum fratrem prioris defuncti Lovanium sub cura R.D.

\* Only 16 names are given.

† O'Neill.

‡ Probably this was Mauger, a family name with the Vavasours.

§ Son of Benedict Conquest of Houghton Conquest, Bedfordshire and Ann daughter of Rev. John Birch of the same place. In 1753 he inherited the Thimelby estates at Irnham in Lincolnshire from his kinswoman Mary Giffard daughter of John Thimelby and Dorothy his wife, but he died the same year.

|| A native of Lancashire who was ordained priest 2 April, 1729 but died 13 April, before he had celebrated his first mass.



Geo. Kendall ne incideret in eundem morbum variolarum familiae adeo fatalem, quo tres fratres natu majores jam extincti fuerant, primus apud Montem Pesulanum, 2dus apud Hammersmith prope Londinum, 3tius hic in collegio duos circiter menses post mortem 2di fratris.

Eadem die 2da hujus mensis subita morte extinctus est Dux Aurelianensis Franciae Regens et primus minister.

Die 8 In Festo Conceptionis B.V. paulo ante horam 10<sup>am</sup> matutinam diem clausit supremum ex pustularum seu variolarum morbo nob. D. Joannes Paston philosophus 2di anni nepos Exim. D. Paston Praesidis hujus Collegii, optimae spei juvenis optimo ingenio et pietate singulari praeditus, omnibus tam superioribus quam aequalibus charus, et sequenti die depositum ejus in eodem sepulchro cum Avunculo suo collocatum est in Sacello B.V. Lauretanae.

Die 19. Obiit Lovanii ex eodem morbo, et eodem plane modo quo hic frater ejus die 2da nob juvenis, Thomas Smith, frater natu minimus et ultimus omnibus Ecclesiae sacramentis rite et maturè praemunitus.

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Anno 1724.

Januar.

Jan. absolutum est novum Collegii aedificium versus plateam. Architectus Praesidis praesentavit ideam seu formam reliquarum trium partium in suppositione quod in posterum aedificandae forent. Unaquaeque pars constabit mille circiter libras Sterlingas. pars versus Septentrionem et quae adjacet culinae, deberet ampliari ad 30 pedes in horto studiosorum, et pars Orientem versus ad 25 pedes, verum absoluto toto aedificio, culina foret in angulo illius partis quae adjuncta est Seminario Henniniano, destructâ parte illâ, ubi nunc est culina, et hortus ut vocatur, Praesidis, adjungi posset horto studiosorum.

Convivium mutuum habuerunt praecipui ex Benedictinis Anglis nobiscum, et sequenti hebdomada totidem ex nostris cum illis.

Feb. 1724.

1mo die discessit aut dimissus est hinc Joannes Sayer hic Eliot e syntaxi, cum nulla spes superesset ipsum idoneum fore in [*added above, in a later hand*] alumnum, Collegii.

Die 5 huc accessit Georgius Fleetwood qui in Gallia philosophiam, in Hispaniâ duos annos theologiae absolverat.

Invisit nos in transitu D. Hugo Dicconson. Ex literis D. Mayes Româ non erat acceptatus frater ipsius\* pro Coadjutore Epi Marcopoleos licet ab ipso Epo et ab omni nostro Clero expetitus. Jussit vero Congregatio ut plures cum ipso praesentarentur.

Mar. 1724.

Die 25 juramentum praestitit Ludovicus Black hic Brown in poesi.

Die 30 huc accessit Thomas Aston vere Ireland ad rudimenta.

Die 7 hujus mensis vita functus est Sanctissimus Pater Innocentius 13tius Pontifex maximus anno 3tio sui Pontificatus.

Aprill 1724.

[p. 122] Juramentum alumnorum die 16 in die festo Paschatis praestitit Edoardus Bartlet Theologus primi anni.

\* Rev. Edward Dicconson.

Die 27 discessit in Angliam postea ut dicitur profecturus Parisios Thom. Holtforth Londinensis e Rhetorica.

Hoc anno Logicam Praeside R.D. Georgio Kendall propugnabant in aulâ novâ Collegii.

Joan. Wilkinson

Fran. Plowden

Georg. Worthington

Gul. Wakeman hic Giffard.

Samuel Cox

Henricus Salkeld

May 1724.

Die 1mo Accessit Gulielmus Bourk nob. juvenis 14 annorū Hibernus Filius Nobilissimi Dni Castle Connel et Brittas.\*

Die 8vo Accesserunt ex Anglia Gulielm<sup>s</sup> Saltmarsh, filius Philippi Saltmarsh† Armig. Eboracensis, et Gualterus Blount Vigorniensis, prior ad Grammaticam, posterior ad rudimenta.

Die 16 advenit D. Joan. Betts‡ ad mensam seniorum ut pensionem annuam solvat ad ordines et ad gradus Academicos promoveatur.

Die 17 in novum Dormitorium ingressi sunt studiosi et alii in cubicula novi aedificii.

Circa finem mensis accesserunt Gulielmus Berington et Gualterus Green hic Lacon uterque ad rudimenta. Cum priori venit huc Pater ipsius et post duos dies reversus est.

Die 29 Electus est in Summum Pontificem Cardinalis Ursini, e familia Sti Dominici, an 75 dictus Benedictus 13tus titulo Sanctissimus vere Sanctus Pater.

Jun. 1724.

Inviserunt nos transeundo D. Hug. Dicconson cum nobili juvene. . . . Clifton§ de Letham ex agro Lancastriae.

Die 14. 4 Juvenes Thomas Atherton|| et Ricardus Poulton ex Comitatu Lancastriae, et Albanus et Jacobus Butler¶ fratres ex comitatu Glocestriensi.

Die 22. invisit nos in transitu praenobilis D. Bernardus Howard de Norfolk ut videret hic filium suum.

\* The barony of Brittas or Brythas was forfeited at law by Theobald Bourke the third baron in 1691 who died in 1705 or 1706. But his son William who lived in the exiled court at St. Germain's naturally continued to claim the title. In 1707 he married Mary daughter of Sir Richard Nagle by whom he became the father of this boy born in 1710.

† Son of Philip Saltmarsh Esq., and Anne, daughter of William Mullins Esq., of Sherfield, Southampton (see Escourt & Payne, *Eng. Cath. Nonjurors of 1715*, pp. 240, 322). He was baptised at York 20 March 1707 and in after life married Lady Anne Plunkett, daughter of Robert Earl of Fingall, by whom he had sixteen children. He died at Nancy in Lorraine.

‡ John Philip Betts, son of James Betts (who after his wife's death became a Carthusian under the name of Joseph) and Frances daughter of Sergeant Trinder of Berry Court near Bentley, Hants. After ordination in 1726 he went to England, was master of Twyford School 1732-1745, then missionary in London, and Archdeacon of London and Middlesex. He died in Gray's Inn, London, 28 March, 1770.

§ One of the Cliftons of Lytham, Lancs.

|| Thomas Atherton was usually known in the mission as Pierson. After ordination in 1732 he went to England in 1734, became capitular 1756 and died at Wolverhampton 31 Dec., 1758.

¶ Alban Butler, the author of the *Lives of the Saints*. He and James were the sons of Simon Butler of Appletree, Northamptonshire, Esq., and Ann dau. of Henry Birch Esq., of Gorseott, Staffordshire. The diary must be in error in saying they were natives of Gloucestershire.



Die 23. discessit saltem ad valetudinem stabiliendā in Angliam nob. juvenis Georg. Bates hic Throckmorton e poesi.

Die 24. Accesserunt Joannes Pots ex Northumbria ad foundationem D. Midford. et Michael Dale Londinensis puer 11. annorum.

Die 29. Accessit nob. puer Edwardus Hawkins\* ad rudimenta. ipsum ad nos conduxit Pater ipsius et post duos dies reversus est.

Hoc mense Philosophiam Universam praeside R. D. Bernardo Tourner propugnarunt Joan. Couban hic Butler Lancastriensis Edoardus Harrington Lancastriensis, Rob: Pinkhard hic Typper Londinensis.

*Julii 1724.*

Die 15ta accessit ad Collegium Joan. Chichester hic Palmer qui literas humaniores didicerat Audomari apud Jesuitas, huc advenit parentum jussu ut philosophicis studiis incumberet.

Die 20 accesserunt ad collegium Hugo et Ricardus Kendall† fratres et Thomas Blasdall ex agro Lancastriensi.

Die 3 hujus mensis Theses Theologicas de Actibus Humanis, peccatis et legibus cum longa et celebri Appendice in qua refutatae sunt 101 propositiones Quenellii, Praeside Eruditissimo D. Ricardo Challoner Vicepraeside propugnarunt.

die 3 Julii mane D. Joan. Cotes subdiac: a meridie D. G. Markham convictor.

die 4 mane M. Jo. Bapt. Gough convictor. A meridie D. Gulielmus Thornborough Diaconus.

Hoc mense in Collegio studiosi infra Theologiam 81.

In Theologia 12

Professores 5

Seniores 8 universim 106 praeter 9 famulos.

Die 18 constitutus est praefectus Generalis R. D. Jacobus Gandy.

*Aug. 1724.*

Die 1 Habitaе sunt disputationes Theologicae i.e. historicae et dogmaticae de haeresi Peleg Semip. Praedest. Jansenismo praeside Ex. D. Praeside, propugnantibus

die 1 man. D. Thom. Atkinson.

Horis pomerid m. Thom Elston vere Winckley.

die 2 mane M. Edoard. Bartlett: a meridie D. Rob. Kendall.

Die 3 ad Collegium advenerunt Henricus et Georg. Witham‡ nepotes Dni Praesidis; major natu nondum duodennis minor annorum 10 cum 4 mensibus.

Cum illis advenit Thom Stapylton omnes ad rudimenta.

Die 1mo discessit Edoardus Barlow hic Meynill absoluto cursu philosophico.

\* Second son of Thomas Hawkins of Nash, Kent, and Mary dau. of Richard Clayton of Lea Hall, Salop. He assumed the name of Gower on inheriting the Gower estate of Colmans, Worcestershire and died in 1790.

† Younger sons of John Kendall, junior, of Fulwood near Preston. Both became priests and schoolmasters. Richard was head master of the school at Standon Lordship and afterwards Hare Street; Hugh became first president of Sedgley Park School. He died in 1781; Richard in 1780.

‡ Great nephews of the President, being the sons of his nephew William Witham and Ann dau. of Sir Henry Lawson, Bart. of Brough. Henry succeeded to the estates his father's death, married Catherine dau. of Anthony Meaburne of Pontop, Durham, q., and died in 1771. George died at Douay while still a student.

Die 5 discessit Fran. Cholmeley e Rhetorica.

Die 10 ob periculum morbi variolarum quo unus in Collegio infectus extitit, alii omnes qui nondum habuerant ullum morbum missi sunt ad villam nostram de cruce vulgo La Croix, cum illis profectus est D. Praeses et R. D. Jacobus Brown.

Illuc nos invisit nobilis D. Philippus Markham etc.

Dies 12 E Collegio aufugit nob Juv. Joan. Belson et quamvis intra horam multi illum inquirentes secuti sunt, prius tamen Dunkirkham pervenit quam quispiam ipsum reperit. Inde cum nostro consensu in Angliam profectus est.

*Septem. 1724.*

[p. 124]. Die 14 reversi sunt ad Collegium qui in villa per aliquod tempus commorati fuerant.

Scripsit ad Reverendissimum Ipresem\* D. Praeses et misit ad ipsum exemplar Indulti Apostolici petens ab ipso ut nostros alumnos proximis diebus 4 temporum dignaretur ordinare.

Initio mensis hinc discessit expleto primo philosophiae anno nob. Juv. Gulielmus Wakeman hic Giffard jussu Avunculi.

Die 20 profecti sunt cum Praeside ordinandi Ipras, et sabbato 4 temporum ad Tonsuram Minores ordines et subdiaconatum ordinatus est magister Edoardus Bartlet et Thomas Winckley hic Elston et cum illis D. Betts convictor vigore dimissoriarum; ad diaconatum D. Joan Collingwood. D. Joan. Cotes et D. Thom. Chambers; ad presbyteratum D. Rob. Kendall D. Gulielmus Thornbourg et D. Thomas Atkinson ab Episcopo Iprensi qui nos omnes cum summa humanitate et benevolentia recepit viz Rdssmus Joannes Bap. Smets, qui fuerat visitorator hujus Collegii tempore D. Paston.

Ante reditum Lovanium profectus est D. Praeses cum duobus nob. juvenibus Thom et Carolo Stonor hic Nevill. Leodium etiam cum Illust. comite de Rivers profectus est praeses.

*Octob. 1724.*

In festis Remigialibus inchoatae sunt scholae in absentia D. Praesidis. Designati sunt Sac. Theol professores Erud. D. Challoner Vicepraeses et D. Bernardus Turner, Theologi 13.

Professores philosophiae R. D. Georgius Kendall et R. D. Henricus Kendall philosophi 15 in utraque classe.

Professores literarum humaniorum Rhetoricae Mag. G. Markham; Poeseos R. D. Gulielmus Maire; Syntaxeos Mag. Green vere Scot; Grammaticae R. D. Jacobus Brown (Maxwell); rudimentorum R. D. Gulielmus Collington; studiosi infra philosophiam 65. Procurator D. Fran. Petre (Squib); praefectus musaei D. Joan. Meales hic Cornwall cui successurus creditur R. D. Jacobus Gandy; convictor, D. Joan. Betts, praefectus Generalis R. D. Thom Atkinson. Personae in Collegio 120 cum magistro musaei D. Parry et 10 famulis.

Seniores 10. Ex. D. Rob. Witham praeses.

Erud. D. Ricard<sup>a</sup> Challoner Vicepraeses et Theologiae professor et praefectus studiorum.

\* John Baptist Smet, Bishop of Ypres 1718-1732.



R.D Bernardus Turner Theologiae professor et Confessarius.  
 R.D Fran. Petre Squib procurator et Confessarius.  
 R.D Joan. Meales hic Cornwall Confessarius ordinarius, praefectus  
 musaei et Concionator.  
 R.D Georg Kendall Philosophiae professor et Confessarius.  
 R.D Henricus Kendall Philosophiae professor.  
 D. Betts Convictor.  
 R.D Jacob. Gandy brevi praefectus musaei.  
 R.D Thom. Atkinson praefectus Generalis. Seniores 10.  
 [p. 125] professores humaniorum literarum ut supra et D. Parry  
 musicae magister. professores omnino 6.

*Theologi.*

R.D. Gulielmus Thornburg.  
 R.D. Rob Kendall praefectus dormitorii.  
 D. Thom. Chambers praefectus culinae.  
 D. Joan. Collingwood.  
 D. Joan. Cotes praefectus Vestiarum.  
 D. Thom. Elston praefectus Bibliothecae.  
 D. Edoardus Bartlet. Joannes Gough.  
 M. Fleetwood.  
 M. Edo Harington.  
 Mag. Joan Typper vere Rob. Pinkhard.  
 M. Joan. Wilkinson.  
 M. — Butler vere Couban.

Theologi omnino 12.

*Philosophi primi anni*

Samuel Cox.	Henricus Salkeld.
Franciscus Plowden.	Georgius Worthington.
Edoardus Petre.	Henricus Wells.

*Philosophi 2di anni.*

Joannes Whitgrave.	Thomas Vavasour.
Gulielmus Hassall.	Joannes Pinchon (Wolf).
Georgius Asquith Ascough.	Joannes Rowe.
Blackwell.	Joannes Palmer (Chichester).
Bryan vere Oliverius Grace Hibernus.	

*Rhaetores. 11*

Thomas Roydon.	Joan. Hankin.
Edoardus Wilford.	Edvardus Kitchin.
Ludovicus Brown..	Robertus Cholmeley.
Gulielmus Maire.	Gulielmus Foster.
Joannes Moor.	Joannes Stapleton vere Bate.
Georgius Throckmorton.	

*Poetae. 9*

Georgius Vavasour.	Joannes Clayton (Hawkins).
Josephus Williams.	Jacobus Elston (Winckley).
Edoardus Elston (Winckley).	Petrus Hesqueth.
Jacobus Selby (Strother).	Thomas Berrington.
Edoardus Bourn (verè Sympson).	

*Syntaxiani* 12.

Bernardus Howard.	Thomas Belson.
[p. 126] Andreas Johnson (weight).	Gulielmus Jenison (Saltmarch).*
Joannes Samuel (Tournier).	Henricus Heddon.
Carolus Nevill (Stonor).	Rob. Markham.
Thomas Atherton.	Augustinus Rowe.
Thomas Nevill (Stonor).	Gulielmus Rowe.

*Grammatici.* 10

Tubervillus Needham.	Joannes Smith (Vavasour).
Rowlandus Kemp (Eyre).	Gulielmus Bourk.
Albanus Butler.	Christoph. Gradell.
Edoardus Markham.	Jacobus Williamson.
Benedictus Conquest.	Ricardus Gradell.

*In 1ma classe Rudimentorum.* 14

Ricardus Polton.	Henricus Hickman (Heneage).
Hugo Kendall.	Gulielmus Berrington.
Gualterus Green (Lacon).	Joannes Rowe.
Jacobus Butler.	Edoardus Clayton (Hawkins).
Thomas Blazedall.	Gulielmus Haughton (Dalton).
Gualterus Blount.	Thomas Terwith (Heneage).
Joannes Potts.	Edoardus Daniel.

*In 2da classe rudimentorum.* 9

Ricardus Kendall.	Joan. Haughton (Dalton).
Henricus Witham.	Georgius Witham.
Michael Dale.	Thomas Aston.
Joannes Stapleton.	Franciscus White.

Joannes Busby.

Hoc mense discessit Parisios R. D. Fran. Petre hic Andrews ut per aliquot menses ad missionem se praeparet.

Discessit Hieronymus de Bareda Hispanus.

Accesserunt Edoardus Daniel\* Lancastriensis Franciscus White ex civitate Sti Machuti seu Maclovii S<sup>i</sup> Malo. Joannes Busby. Omnes tres ad Rudimenta.

Reversus est Georgius Throckmorton (Bate).

Reversus est Ex. D. Praeses cum Thom. et Carolo Stonor.

In Collegio personae omnino 109 cum 11 famulis.

Die 15 Octobris nova Ecclesia Benedictione donata est a R. adm. D. Tellier Vicario Generali dioeceseos.

*November 1724.*

[p. 127]. Die 14 discessit neoportum ad Anglos Carthusianos Petrus Hesqueth e posesi.

Post unam hebdomadam reversus est idem Petrus Hesqueth.

*December 1724.*

Die 6ta Huc accessit Ambrosius Matherell hic Wells Londinensis qui studiis theologicis incubuerat apud Vallosetum in Hispania sub Patribus Societtis, nobis commendatus a R. D. . . . . Elston alias Lacy strenuo in missionibus operario, accedit ad Scholam Theologorum.

\* Son of John Daniel of Durton, b. 1709; ord. 1733; died 1765. See memoir C.R.S. xvi 517.



Die 15 hinc discesserunt Angliam versus Georgius Fleetwood, qui studuerat in eodem Collegio in Hispania. Joannes et Gulielmus Rowe e Devoniam, hic ex Syntaxi, ille e Logica.

Die 23. Accesserunt ad Collegium ut studiis vacarent Thomas Fitz Gerald ex Insulis Canariis. et Gregorius Walsh ex Cades in Hispania. Accesserunt ad Collegium hoc an. 29.

*Anno 1725.*

*Januar. Ann. 1725.*

[p. 128]. Die 15 jussu matris ad reiteratam instantiam Praesidis hinc profectus est Gandavum Edoardus Sympson hic Bourn Londinensis cum esset omnino ineptus studiis et Collegio.

Die 29 Januarii missus in Angliam R. D. Joan. Mailes hic Cornwall, literas humaniores docuerat 11 annos; per biennium Confessarius etc. vir pius si quis alius.

*Febr. 1725.*

Die 2<sup>da</sup> Juramentum alumnorum praestitit Joannes Moor\* Rhaetor.

Die 16 Octo Lib. Physicorum sub R. D. Georgio Kendall propugnarunt mane Georgius Worthington et Edo. Petre. a meridie Samuel Cox et Fran. Plowden.

*Mart. 1725.*

Die 6. Romae natus est filius natu 2<sup>dus</sup>, serenissimi Regis Angliae Jacobi 3<sup>tii</sup> et Clementinae Sobieski, in Baptismo nomen accepit Henrici Benedicti etc. titulo Dux Eboracensis.†

R. D. Joan Mailes Cornwall mansit Dunkerkae ut esset Confessarius monialium Anglarum ordinis Sti Benedicti.

*April. 1725.*

Die 1 In festo Resurrectionis Dominicae juramentum alumnorum praestiterunt Gulielmus Hassal Salopiensis, Philosophus primi anni, et Edoardus Kitchin Rhaetor diocesis Cestriensis comitatus Lancastriensis uterque magnae pietatis indicia prae buerat, et diligentiam in studiis monstraverat.

Die 6 propter scandalosum excessum in potu die praecedenti e collegio dimissi sunt Ambrosius Matherell hic Wells qui theologiam per tres annos didicerat apud Vallosoletum in Hispania et hic per 5 menses fuerat cum intentione prosequendi studia. nondum tamen admissus fuerat alumnus hujus Collegii; et Josephus Williams a poesi, saepius prius de negligentia in studiis admonitus.

Die 26 ex hac vita migravit omnibus Ecclesiae sacramentis rite ac devotè susceptis cum summa animi resignatione D. Henricus Parry hic musicae magister relicto magno sui apud nostros desiderio, et die sequenti sepultus est inter Anglos in Ecclesia S. Jacobi more solito nostris corpus comitantibus.

\* Ordained in 1731: he laboured in Lancashire for 50 years and died at Chipping Lawn 26 June, 1783.

† Henry Benedict Stuart, Cardinal Duke of York, last of the Stuarts in the male line (1725-1807).

*Maii 1725.*

[p. 129]. Maii die 5 discessit Henricus Wells hic Paulet Philosophus 2di anni jussu patris.

Die 8 maii nuntium recepit D. Praeses subitâ morte extinctum esse charissimum sibi fratrem Georgium Episcopū Marcopolitanum Vicarium Apostolicum, primū in medio Angliae districtu, ab anno circiter 1702 ad an. 1715, et deinde in districtu Angliae Septentrionali. Erat alumnus hujus collegii duaceni, ad quod missus est cum duobus fratribus suis natu majoribus, Joanne et Gulielmo an 1666. juramentum a[lum]-norum\* praestitit an 1674 annos natus 18, die 26 Maii. Absolutis studiis philosophicis et inchoatâ Theologiâ literas humaniores per aliquod tempus docuit, deinde missus est ad Seminarium Parisiense ad Gradus Theologicos suscipiendos. Ad Baccalaureatum in Sorbonâ promotus hic tempore vacantiarum docuit cursum philosophicum an 1684 et 85. Reversus Parisios Lauream doctoralem adeptus est, et in hoc collegio Theologiam docuit per annos 4 viz ab an. 1688 ad an. 1692. Cum per unum aut alterum annum in missione laborasset, in officio vicarii Generalis sub Rdssimo D. Jacobo Episcopo Callipolitano Vic. apostolico, missus est a clero Anglicano Romam, ibique per 6 aut 7 annos Agentis cleri Anglicani munere cum successu functus est. Mortuo Illustrissimo Joanne Episcopo Adrumetino Vicar. Apos. Londini in ejus locum electus est motu proprio SSS Dni Clem. PP XI, ad cujus pedes pervolutus supplex petiit ne onus tam grave sibi renitenti imponeret, uti Ego ex ipsius ore non semel audivi, cui SSS Pontifex, Si aequum est impositum tibi divina providentia onus recusare, Ego similiter summi Pontificatus munus nunquam in me suscepissem. Ordinatus est Episcopus apud montem Fiasconi. In Angliam veniens strenue laborare non destitit, doctrinâ et praesertim conversatione Catholicos confirmans, non paucos heterodoxos ad fidem Christi invictis argumentis, cum modestiâ et suavitate propositis convertit. A 4 iam annis visitando Catholicorum domos in Agro Lancastriensi, poenē ad mortem laboravit, et ab eo tempore ad domum paternam reversus, variis infirmitatibus, ingravescente jam aetate correptus, vix domo egredi poterat nisi ad pauca milliaria. Per 4 annos cum omni instantia petiit sibi concedi a sede Apostolicâ Coadjutorem vel successorem. Illius quidem petitio haud rejecta, sed dilata et nondum concessa fuit. Fuit semper ingenio mitissimus, nisi cum zelo zelatus est contra delinquentes, tenerrimae semper conscientiae. Subitaneâ quidem morte nemine praesente at ut mihi persuadeo minime improvisâ morte extinctus est in domo suae familiae paternae apud Clivum (Cliff) in comitatu Eboracensi [*in margin* circa aetatis annū 68<sup>um</sup>] Ut aeternâ requiescat in pace, precatur superstes frater natu minimus et 7<sup>mus</sup>, Georgii et Gratiae Wyvil de Constable Burton in eodem Agro Eboracensi: R.W.

Requiescat in pace.

p. 130]. Die 9na circa 5tam cantavimus officium defunctorum pro anima Rdssmi Epi Marcopolitani.

\* Written *annorum* in the MS.



Die 11. mane hora 6ta pro eadem intentione summum Sacrum pro fratre suo cantavit D. Praeses factâ singulis sacerdotibus modica distributione ex pecuniis propriis sicut fecerat pro Nepote suo D. Gul: Witham die 2 Aug. an 1723.

Die 16 Logicam propugnarunt Praeside R. D. Henrico Kendall, mane Thomas Vavasour et Oliverius Grace hic Brian.

A meridie Joannes Wolf hic Pinchon et Gulielmus Hassall.

Die 28, quâ die celebravimus festum S. Augustini Anglorum Apostoli, translatum a die Sabbati praecedenti intra hebdomadam Pentecostes, juramentum alumnorum praestiterunt Thom. Roydon et Gulielmus Foster Rhaetores, bonae spei adolescentes.

*Jun. 1725.*

Die 4 discessit hinc nob. D. Edoar. Markham filius natu minimus Thom Markham Armig. de Ollerton in Nottinghamia, e Grammatica ob adversam valetudinem. Illum comitabatur R. D. Josep. Horton qui huc eo fine advenerat, sacerdos hujus Collegii.

Die 13. Accesserunt ex Hispania ab urbe Gadetana duo fratres juvenes annorum circiter 13 et 14 Jacobus et Josephus Sanchez de Silveria ad rudimenta et ut discant linguam Anglicanam; pro illorum pensione viz. 25 librarum Sterlingarum per annum respondet Gulielmus Terry Eques in Hispaniâ solutionis faciendae Londini procuratori nostro.

Die 20 discessit Henricus Salkeld Philosophus 2di anni.

Die 27 discessit Oliverius Grace, hic Thomas Brian philosophus primi anni.

Die 22 habitae sunt disputationes Theologicae praeside R. D. Bernardo Tourner; mane defendebat M. Joan. Baptista Gough, a meridie Joan. Couban hic Butler.

Die 23. mane Rob Pinkhard hic Joan Tipper, a meridie Edoardus Bartelet.

*Jul: 1725.*

Die 3. discessit Joannes Wolfe nob. hic Pinchon philosophus 1<sup>mi</sup> anni cum tutore suo R. D. Petre hic Andrews in Galliam Rhemos.

Die 9no Theologiam Universam dedicatam Eminent. Cardli Protectori Gualterio Praeside Erud. D. Rich. Challenor hujus Collegii Vicepraeses cum magno omnium applausu defendit R. D. Gul. Thornburge.

Die 10 mane Philosophiam universam cum magno applausu defendit Praeside R. D. Geo. Kendall Franciscus Plowden; aderat R. P. Plowden cognatus ipsius Rector Coll. Angl. Audomarensis.

[Here is inserted a memorandum of certain ordinations between 1691 and 1696, see *infra*.]

Die 11mo continuatae sunt disputationes Philos. Universae [p. 131] propugnante mane Georgius Ball hic Worthington.

A meridie Samuel Cox cum magna omnium voluptate.

Die 14to accesserunt cum D. Betts Arthurus Stoner hic Leak, . . . Raw hic Arundel et Josephus Brown.

Die 16 in Angliam discessit Joannes Whitgrave ob periculum valetudinis Philosophus primi anni.

Die 18 in Angliam ob negotia quadam cum parentibus et consanguineis profectus est Henricus Blackwell alias Gailer.

Die 31 in Angliam a parentibus vocatus discessit Augustinus Rowe Devon: Syntaxianus.

*Aug. 1725.*

Die 4to Accesserunt ad collegium nob. D. Thom. Howard.\* 11 circiter annorum, et Ricardus Butler ex agro Lancastriensi.

Die 8va discessit in Angliam Ricardus Gradell† Lancastriensis e Syntaxi.

Eadem die accesserunt ad Collegium duo juvenes Georgius Gibson‡ hic Bradshaw, et Albertus Silvertop hic Dun.§ cum R. D. Thom Gibson brevi rediturus in missionem.

Die 21 accessit Nicholaus Tournier|| 14 circiter annorum ad rudimenta.

Die 14 discessit Gregorius Walsh e Syntaxi.

*September 1725.*

Die 4ta in missionem profectus est R. D. Bernardus Tournier hic Lawr. Samuel qui duos philosophiae cursus et per annum unam Theologiam docuerat.

Die 21 ad Tonsuram et minores Ordines Ipris promoti sunt Edoardus Mullineux, Joannes Wilkinson et Joannes Couban hic Butler theologi primi anni.

Die 22 Sab 4 temporum ad diaconatum promoti sunt ibidem ab eodem Episcopo Iprensi, Thomas Winckley dioecesis Cestriensis et Edoardus Bartlet Vigorniensis dioecesis Theologi 2di anni., Et ad sacrum presbyteratus ordinem Joes Collingwood dioecesis Lincolniensis, Thomas Chambers dioecesis Londinensis, et Joannes Cotes dioecesis Dunelmensis. Cum illis profectus et reversus est D. Praeses. tres postremi absolverant tertium Theologiae annum.

Die 4 hinc in Angliam discesserunt Edoardus Petre de Belhouse absoluta philosophia et ob malam valetudinem Ricardus Poulton Lancastriensis ex rudimentis.

[p. 132]. Die 29 primitias suas per sacrum solemne in festo S. Michaelis Archangeli obtulit R. Adm D. Joes Collingwood.

Die 30 similiter primitias suas mane hora 6<sup>sa</sup> absque cantu obtulit R. adm D. Joannes Cotes Dunelmensis dioec. et comitatu Northumbriae. et eodem die dominica per sacrum solemne R. adm. D. Thom. Chambers Londinensis.

\* Second son of Bernard Howard and Ann dau. of Christopher Roper, Lord Teynham.

† His real name was Worswick, and he was the eldest son and heir of Robert Worswick of Todderstaffe Hall in Singleton, Lancashire, Esq., by Elizabeth daughter and heiress of Alexander Butler of the same. On leaving Douay he studied medicine in a French university and took the degree of M.D. He resided at Todderstaffe Hall and Preston where he practised as a physician. He died unmarried in 1746 (see Gillow, *Bibl. Dict.* v. 594).

‡ Son of George Gibson of Stonecroft, Northumberland (see Gillow *Bibl. Dict.*, ii, 442) and Mary daughter of William Bradshaigh of Bishop Middleham, Durham.

§ Third son of Albert Silvertop of Stella, Durham and Mary, daughter of Joseph Dunn, esq., of Bladen. He settled at Newcastle-on-Tyne where he died unmarried 30 Oct., 1789 aged 75 having been blind for fifty years (*C.R.S.* xii 34).

|| Nicholas Tournier probably was the son of John Tournier of Easebourne, Sussex, and Elizabeth his wife (see Estcourt and Payne, *Records of the Eng. Caths.* of 1715, p. 262).



*Octob. 1725.*

Die 1. Sacrum solemne pro foelici Scholarum repetitione cantavit  
Ex D. Praeses, habita de more oratiuncula in singulis classibus  
Humanistarum.

Professores hoc anno designati.

Erud D. Ricardus Challoner Vicepraeses S. Theol professor. praefectus  
studiorum et unus e confessariis.

R. D. Georgius Kendall alter theologiae professor. et confessor.

R. D. Henricus Kendall Philosophiae professor.

R. D. Gulielmus Thornbourg alter Philosophiae professor.

R. D. Gulielm. Maire Rhaeticae professor.

M. Gulielmus Green non alumnus Poeseos professor.

R. D. Jacob. Brown (Maxvell) Syntaxeos Professor.

R. D. Rob. Kendall Grammaticae professor.

M. Georg. Markham (non alumnus) Rudim professor.

Numerus omnium in Collegio.

*9 Seniores.*

Ex D. Rob. Witham praeses.

Erudit D. Ricardus Challoner Vicep. etc.

R. D. Geo. Kendall.

R. D. Franc. Petre Procurator et Confessarius.

R. D. Henricus Kendall...

R. D. Jacobus Gandy Confess. ordinarius Concionator et musaei  
praefectus.

D. Joan. Betts convictor diaconus.

R. D. Thom Atkinson praefectus generalis.

R. D. Gulielmus Thornbourge.

*9 Professores et Sacerdotes.*

R. D. Jacobus Brown.

R. D. Gulielmus Maire.

R. D. Gul. Collington. } in missionē  
R. D. Joan. Collingwood. } profecturi.

R. D. Joan. Cotes theologus theologus.

R. D. Thom Chambers theologus.

R. D. Rob. Kendall.

M. Gulielmus Green.

M. Georgius Markham.

*9. Theologi nondum Sacerdotes.*

[p. 133]. D. Thomas Winckley hic Elston diaconus.

D. Edoardus Bartelet diacon.

M. Joes Gough convictor Acolythus.

M. Edoard. Harrington Acolythus.

M. Joan. Wilkinson Acolythus.

M. Joan. Couban hic Butler Acolythus.

M. Joan. Tipper vere Rob. Pinkhard non alumnus.

M. Worthington (Bald).

M. Samuel Cox non alumnus.

*4. Philosophi 1 anni.*

Thomas Vavasour.

Gulielmus Hassal alumnus.

Georg Ascough alumnus.

Palmer (Chichester).

12. *Philosophi 2di anni.*

Edw. Wilford vere Stafford.	Thomas Roydon.
Gulielmus Maire.	Edoardus Kitchin.
Robertus Cholemely.	Georgius Throckmorton (Bates).
Joannes Hankin.	Ludovicus Brown.
Joan. Clayton.	Joan. Stapylton.
Gulielmus Foster.	Joannes Moor.

6. *Rhaetores.*

Georgius Vavasour.	Thomas Berrington.
Jacobus Elston.	Edoard. Elston (Winckley).
Jacobus Selby.	Petrus Hesketh.

10. *Poetae.*

Gulielmus Jenison (Saltmarsh).	Bernardus Howard.
Joan. Samuel (Tournier).	Thomas Nevill (Stonor).
Thomas Atherton.	Carolus Nevill (Stonor).
Thomas Belson.	Robertus Markham.
Andreas Johnson (Weight).	Henricus Heddon.

8. *Syntaxiani.*

Rolandus Kemp (Eyre).	Albanus Butler.
Tubervillus Needham.	Christophus Gradell.
Joannes Smith (Vavasour)	Jacobus Williamson.
Benedictus Conquest.	Gulielmus Bourk castle Connell.

12. *Grammatici.*

Henricus Hickman (Heneage).	Hugo Kendall.
Jacobus Butler.	Edoardus Clayton.
[p. 134]. Joannes Rowe.	Gualterus Blount.
Gualterus Green	Edoard. Daniel.
Gulielm. Berrington.	Joannes Pots.
Gulielmus Haughton.	Thomas Tyrwith (Heneage).

21. *In Rudimentis.*

1 classe Ricardus Kendal.	Thomas Howard.
Henricus Witham.	Thomas Blasedale.
Fran. White.	Joan Haughton.
Georgius Witham.	Michael Dale.
Thomas Stapylton.	Thomas Aston (Ireland).
Thomas Fitzgerald.	Joannes Busby.
Jacobus et Josephus Sanchez	Georgius Bradshaw.
de Sylveira Hispani.	Josephus Brown.
Arthurus Nevil (Stonor).	Ricardus Butler.
Gulielm <sup>s</sup> Raw (hic Arundel).	Nicholaus Tournier.
Albertus Dun (Silvertop).	

9. *Famuli.*

Josephus Lalaine Promus, Jacque L'Ecarles exservus Petrus Pottier  
 Janitor, Petrus Neuville coqus Jacobus, famulus valetud.  
 Petrus . . . . . Iixa Phillppus . . . . . Hortulanus, . . . . .  
 Rowland sutor, Petrus famulus Dni Betts.

Personae in Collegio 99. et 9 famuli.

Die 3 reversus est ad Collegium perillustis juvenis de Castle connel  
 et Brittas Syntaxianus Hibernus.



Die 4 in missionem Anglicanam profecti sunt R. D. Gulielmus Jones hic Collington, qui rudimenta docuit per duos annos et R. D. Joan. Collingwood qui tres annos theologiae absolverat infirma valetudine.

Cum illis in Angliam discessit e Grammatica Jacobus Henricus Butler.

Die ultima accessit ex Anglia Thomas Petre\* ex familia de Belhouse in Essexia ad rudimenta.

In transitu nos inviserunt Illustmus D. Philippus Howard† frater ducis de Norfolcia cum consorte sua Dña Stonor sorore Thomae et Caroli qui nunc student Poesi in hoc Collegio.

Fran. Plowden qui hic propugnauerat Universam Philosophiam mense Julii proxime elapso, remansit in Seminario S. Gregorii Parisiis.

*Novemb. Decemb.*

[p. 135]. Decembris die 24 in Vig. Nativitatis juramentum alumnorū praestiterunt Joan. Hankin Logicus e Northumbria et ex oppido novi Castelli, Dunelmensis. Petrus Hesketh vere‡ alias de Groot Rhaetor Cestriensis et Jacobus Winckley hic Elston Rhaetor dioecesis item Cestriensis e comitatu Lancastriensi.

Hoc mense Summus Pontifex Benedictus 13<sup>th</sup> proprio motu et electione designavit R. P. . . . . Williams§ ordinis Sti Dominici ut succederet Rdsmo D. Markham (vere Witham) tanquam Vicarius Apostolicus in partibus Angliae Septentrionalibus.

Nominatus fuit a Rege Galliae perillustris Abbas de la Salle Episcopus Atrebatensis.

Item D Abbas Stricklandus famosus ille dicitur nominatus ab Imperatore ad petitionem Georgii Angliae, ut dicitur, Regis Episcopus Namurcensis.

Rumor est contigisse dissensionem aliquam Romae inter Serenissimum Jacobum 3 Regem Angliae et Reginam circa gubernatorem quendam Heterodoxum designatum Principi Walliae.

Ad Collegium ex Anglia reversus est [blank] Blackwell alias Gailer.

In transitu nos invisit Illustmus D. Gage et ad prandium est invitatus a Praeside.

Hoc anno additae sunt octo sedes in choro nostro Ecclesiastico cubiculum hospitum tapetibus etc., ornatum. Summitas magni Dormitarii assulis et coemento etc., Interio[r] etiam magna Janua Collegii nova facta est.

Quadringentae librae monetae Anglicanae hoc anno datae sunt ab amicis et Benefactoribus nostris in Anglia ad aedificationem et decorationem Collegii.

Collegium Audomarense Jesuitarum Anglorum die 4to Octobris nocte spatio 4 horarum igne et flammis penitus consumptum fuit.

\* Thomas Francis Petre, youngest son of William Petre of Bellhouse and his second wife Penelope, dau. of John Wolfe of Great Hazeley, Oxfordshire. Born 1712.

† Philip Howard, fifth son of Thomas Howard of Worksop, Notts., and Mary Elizabeth dau. and heiress of Sir John Savile, Bart. of Copley, Yorks. His eldest brother Thomas succeeded to the Dukedom of Norfolk in 1701. Philip's wife here mentioned was Winifrid dau. of Thomas Stonor, Esq., of Stonor, Oxford.

‡ Vere is written above *alias*, but the latter is not cancelled.

§ Thomas Williams, O.P. (1668-1740) Vicar Apostolic of the Northern District till his death in 1740. See D.N.B. lxi, 455; Brady, *Episcopal Succession*, iii, 253.

Ab hujusmodi infortunato casu Clementissime Deus per infinitam misericordiam tuam et per intercessionem SS. tuorum et martyrum hujus Collegii, libera hoc primum Collegiū Anglorum post defectionem a fide Catholicā.

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Anno 1726.

Januarii.

Die 9no a collegio discessit D. Samuel Cox Convictor Theologus, Insulis aliquandiu commoraturus et deinde in Angliam profecturus.

Praeses scripsit Epistolam congratulatoriam ineunte hoc anno ad Illustrissimū Dnū de la Salle\* nominatum Episcopum Atrebatensem Parisios et ab eo humanissimum recepit responsum.

Per literas Roma certiores facti sumus. R. P. . . . . Williams Anglo Dominicanum constitutum fuisse Vicarium Apostolicū in districtu Angliae Septentrionali, et ordinatum ab ipso Summo Pontifice cum titulo in partibus Epi Tiberopolitani at quamvis fuerat ordinatus Episcopus breve tamen Vicar. Apostolici in Angliam nondum concessum fuerat.

Februa. 1726.

Missus est Brugas Joan Chichester hic Palmer. Bibliothecam novam ornare coepimus.

Mart: 1726.

Die 12 in festo S. Gregorii juramentum alumnorum praestitit M. Rob. Pinhard hic Joan. Typper Londinensis Theologus 2di anni.

Aprill 15.

Accessit Joannes Chester ad rudimenta.

Die 20 Aprils ad ordines Cameraci promoti ad Tonsurum et minores ordines Georgius Ball hic Worthington Cestriensis, ad Tonsuram minores ordines et Subdiaconatum Robertus Pinkhard hic Joan. Typper Londinensis, et ad Subdiaconatum Magister Edwardus Mullineux hic Harrington.

In transitu nos invisit nob. D. Joannes Belson† cum tutore suo R.D. [blank] Watson‡ Sacerdote Coll. Romani.

In transitu nos invisit nob. D. Johannes Wolf hic nuper Pinchon cum tutore suo R. D. Franc. Petre hic Andrews qui nunc in missionē profectus est.

May 1726.

[p. 137] May die 18 huc accesserunt nobiles juvenes Jacobus et Joan. Bishop§ hic Smith e comitatu Sussexiae filius tertius et 4tus Equitis aurati Cecilii Bishop nondum in communionem Ecclesiae Catholicae recepti.

Die 22 Accesserunt Edoard⁹ Sadler|| vere Aston et Joannes Shuttle-

\* François Baglion de la Salle, Bishop of Arras 1725-1752.

† Probably John Belson of Brill co. Bucks. See note on the family C.R.S. viii 324.

‡ Rev. James Watson; b. 1697, ordained 1723, died at York 1772.

§ Third and fourth sons respectively of Sir Cecil Bishop, of Parham, Sussex, 5th baronet, and Elizabeth dau. of Henry Dunch Esq., of Newington, Oxfordshire. Their father had died in October 1725.

|| Eldest son of Walter fourth Lord Aston of Forfar, and Mary dau. of Lord Thomas Howard of Tixall, Staffs., and Standon Lordship, Herts. His *alias* Sadler was a family name, as his great-grandfather inherited the Standon Lordship estate from mother Gertrude, dau. and heiress of Sir Thomas Sadler



worth\* hic Haydock—cum D. Shuttleworth sacerdote, hujus Collegii sacerdote, prior filius natu major Vicecomitis Aston.

*Jun. 1726.*

Die 2da accessit Antonius Jefferson Eboracensis.

Die 4to accesserunt Thomas Howarden et Gulielmus Grimbaldston† uterque ex agro Lancastriensi.

Die 5to accessit Henricus Maire‡ Dioec. Dunelmensis.

Die 9 in die sacro Pentecostes juramentum alumnorum praestitit Georgius Henricus Heddon§ dioecesis Eboracensis in Poesi annos natus fere octodecim.

Philosophiam rationalem propugnarunt hoc mense decem convictores et alumni praeside R.D. Guliel. Thornborough viz.:—

Die 3 mane Thomas Roydon, Joan Stapleton; horis pomeridianis Gulielmus Maire, Joannes Foster.

Die 4 mane Robertus Choldmeley, Joan. Hawkins hic Clayton.

Die 5<sup>ta</sup> mane Ludov. Brown, Georgius Bates hic Throckmorton; A meridie Edoard. Kitchin, Ed. Stafford hic Wilford.

Die 17 Accesserunt Hugo et Joannes Bosvill|| hic Roberts e comitatu Monmouth in Wallia ad Rudimenta.

Die 19 Discessit Georg. Bate hic Throckmorton e logicâ.

Die 22 Accessit Joseph Sire¶ Lancastriensis ad rudimenta; ipsum comitabatur Erud. D. Joseph Martin ab aliquot annis hic Philosophiæ professor.

Die 24 juramentum alumnorum praestiterunt nob. Rob. Markham ex familia de Olerton et Thomas Atherton.

Die 26 accesserunt tres juvenes ex Monmouth comitatu viz. Franciscus Needham frater alterius hic in Syntaxi et duo cognati prioris et fratres Germani, Robertus et Carolus Needham,\*\* omnes ad Rudimenta.

\* Son of George Shuttleworth of Hodsock Park, Notts, and Dorothy dau. of William Haydock of Cottam Hall, Lancs., Esq., nephew of the priest John Shuttleworth who brought him to Douay and brother of the Rev. George Shuttleworth.

† Second son of Emir Grimbaldston and Ann his wife, born 2 June 1708, ordained 1735, chaplain to the Dicconsens at Wroughton Hall till his death 1 Feb. 1770.

‡ A younger son of Christopher Maire of Hartbushes, Durham and Frances dau. of . . . . . Ingleby of Lawkland, Yorkshire. Brother of Rev. William Maire, secular priest and Peter and Christopher both of the Society of Jesus. After ordination he assisted the Rev. James Skelton at Raventofts for a time, then he became missionary at Cliffe-upon-Tees where he died 5 Nov. 1775.

§ Ordained priest 1734; died at Hazlewood, Yorkshire, 19 Sept. 1764.

|| Bosville Hugh and John. John, born 4 May, 1716 was ordained in 1743, and taught at Douay till 1746. He was afterwards chaplain to Mr. Jones at Llanarth in Monmouthshire where he died 2 March, 1779.

¶ Son of Thomas Syers of Great Crosby, Lancashire, yeoman and Mary his wife. After leaving College in 1730 he returned to Lancashire, married and became the father of the Rev. Joseph Syers and Oswald Syers, a well-known printer and publisher in Manchester.

\*\* Third and youngest son of John Needham of Hilston, Monmouthshire and Margaret Lucas his wife. Brother of the Rev. John Turberville Needham, F.R.S., and Rev. Joseph Needham, O.S.F. He afterwards became a bookseller in London and married Winifred, dau. of Noah Sherwood of Devonshire St., Holborn, who died at Brussels in 1791. Robert and Charles Needham were cousins of John and Joseph being sons of Robert Needham of Hilston, Esq., (elder brother of John Needham senr) and his second wife Ann dau. of Edward Pye. Robert succeeded his father at Hilston, married Elizabeth, dau. of Robert Rowe of Leigh, Somerset and died 17 April, 1769.

*Julii, 1726.*

[p. 138] Die 1<sup>mo</sup> habitae sunt disputationes Theologicae de Ecclesia de Religione et justitia praeside Erud. D. Challoner; mane propugnabat R.D. Thom. Chambers. Horis pomeridianis D. Thomas Winckley hic Elston. Die 2<sup>da</sup> continuatae sunt eadem disputationes Respondente manē D. Edoard. Mullineux hic Harrington; a meridie D. Rob. Pinkard hic Joan Typper.

Die 3 propugnavit R.D. Joan. Cotes.

Die 2<sup>d</sup> in Angliam valetudinis causa profectus est Thomas Stapylton e rudimentis.

Die 8 discessit Angliam versus Erud D. Josephus Martin.

Die 11 huc accessit nob. Juvenis Thomas Webb hic Banister ad rudimenta.

Die 9 Dimissus est Ludovicus Brown vere Black saltem ut nomen suum dedit cum Martii 25. an 1724 admissus fuerat ad juramentum alumnorum. Causa ultima dimissionis (ut praecedentes taceam) erat quod postquam verbis indecentibus et insolentibus allocutus fuisset 1<sup>mo</sup> praefectum Generalem et deinde praesidem, qui propterea injunxit ipsi pro poenitentia, ut genuflecteret in refectorio, ipse vero pertinaciter declaravit se nolle subire illam poenitentiam et propterea juxta Constitutiones Collegii, e collegio dimissus est, et de hac dimissione Epistola a Praeside missa est ad Sacram Congregationem.

Die 12<sup>ma</sup> horis pomeridianis Philosophiam Universam praeside R.D. Henrico Kendall propugnavit Gulielmus Hassal.

Die 13 continuatae sunt eadem disputationes mane respondente Georg. Ascough. A meridie Thomas Vavausour ex Willoughtoft.

Die 20 cum R.D. Cuthb. Haydock accesserunt Robertus Haughton vere Dalton\* Gulielmus Anderton et Franciscus Anderton fratres† Thomas Parry hic Giffard, Thomas Garter et Joannes Shepherd\* omnes ad rudimenta.

Die 27 Accessit Thomas Weld§ ex Lullwood Castello in Dorcestria cum Charles was ordained priest at Douay in 1741. From 1745 to 1798 he was chaplain at Tor Abbey, after which he lived in retirement first at Tor Mohun and afterwards in London where he died in 1802.

\* Younger brother of William and John Dalton. He was afterwards married three times and left numerous descendents (see *C.R.S.* vi. 212<sup>n</sup>)

† Sons of Hugh Anderton of Euxton Hall, Lancashire, Esq., by Catherine daughter of Francis Trappes of Nidd Hall, Yorkshire Esq. William the elder, succeeded his father who died 4 April 1718 and married Mary daughter of Richard 5<sup>th</sup> Viscount Molyneux of Sefton and relict of Thomas Clifton of Lytham Hall, Clifton Hall and Westby Hall, Esq. The Rev. Cuthbert Haydock who brought these boys to Douay was their cousin.

‡ Son of John Shepherd and Brigit Wilkinson; born in London 19 Feb. 1714. After being over four years at Douay he went first to Rome, then to Lisbon, where he was ordained priest. He returned to England in 1737, became chaplain to Lord Montagu at Cowdray (*C.R.S.* i. 244, 250). In 1757 he became chaplain at Hammersmith Convent, became a member of the chapter and was in succession secretary, Archdeacon and Dean. He died 11 March 1789.

§ Fourth son of Humphrey Weld Esq., of Lulworth Castle and Margaret only dau. of Sir James Simeon Bart. of Chilworth. On the death of his uncle Sir Edward Simeon in 1768 he succeeded to his estates and assumed the name of Simeon. He married Mary dau. of Thomas Fitzherbert of Swinnerton, and had an only daughter who became a nun at Bruges.



R.P. Ingilby Soc. J. eo quod fratres illius aut mortui aut mala usi essent sanitate apud S. Audomarum.

*August. 1726.*

[p. 139] Die 16 accessit Jacobus Butler hic Roch\* filius natu maximus Baronis Car in Hibernia cum R.P. Ludovico Lloid Franciscano.

Die 19 in missionem Anglicanam profectus est R.D. Henricus Kendall qui hic per plures annos docuerat literas humaniores, qui Theologiam universam cum laude propugnauerat, qui per biennium fuerat praefectus Generalis et deinde philosophiam docuerat; vir doctus simplex et rectus humilitate et charitate erga proximum insignis.

Die 20 in Angliam similiter missus est R.D. Jacobus Gandy qui etiam aliquanto tempore munus praefecti generalis exercuerat, qui per biennium fuerat musaei praefectus concionator et Confessarius.

Die . . . . . accesserunt nobilis juvenes Rowlandus Bellasise et Antonius Bellasisset† germani fratres filii Rowlandi fratris Vicecomitis Falconbridge. Similiter Joannes Heneage‡ et Thomas Hodgson postremi cum patre suo et cum R.D. Mullineux§

Die . . . . . accessit Thom Collingwood|| filius George Collingwood et . . . . . More de Loftus Eboracensis ad rudimenta.

Die 28 nos inuisit Rdus et Illustrissimus Joannes Savage Comes Rivers seu de Ripariis sacerdos hujus Collegii et annos complures missionarius Eboraci et alibi nunc vero obtenta dispensatione domicillium pulcherrium habet Leodii; mansit hic per dies 5 aut sex.

N.B. cum R.D. Hen. Kendall et Jacobo Gandy in Angliam ad valetudinem recuperandam Jacobus Winckley hic Elston alumnus hujus Collegii et Philosophus primi anni, pius et bonae spei adolescens.

*Septem. 1726.*

Die 3 discessit cum tutore suo R.D. Mullineux nob. adolescens Thomas Heneage e Gramatica.

Die 8 in festo nativitatis B.M. Virginis juramentum alumnorum praestitit Gulielmus Maire de Lartington Eboracensis, dioecesis credo Cestriensis nempe ex illa parte comitatus Eboracensis quae Richmondia dicitur, Philosophus.

Die 17 discessit e Collegio cum tutore suo Thomas Stonor hic Nevill cum. R.D. Mackworth.

\* Eldest son of Thomas Butler 8<sup>th</sup> Baron Cahire and Frances daughter of Sir Theobald Butler, Solicitor General to James II. He was born 1 August 1711, married Christian daughter of Michael Moore of Drogheda and died at Lyons without issue 6 June 1786.

† These boys were the sons of Rowland Belasyse and Frances dau. of Christopher, Lord Teynham. Anthony married Susannah dau. of John Clavet and by her was the father of Rowland who succeeded as sixth Viscount Fauconberg, and Charles a priest, who eventually became the seventh and last viscount.

‡ Third son of George Heneage of Hainton, Lincs., Esq., and Elizabeth dau. of Sir Henry Hunloke; born at Hainton 29 Jan. 1712-13.

§ The Rev. Matthias Molyneux b. 1689, ordained at Rome 1712 and at this time missionary in Lincolnshire.

|| Zachary More of North Loftus, North Riding of Yorks. in his will dated 23 January 1728 refers to his brother [= brother-in-law] John Collingwood and to his nephew John Collingwood. If the name George Collingwood in the diary is correct it would seem that there were two Collingwoods—More marriages at this time. See Estcourt and Payne, "*Records of Eng. Caths.* 1715." p. 81.

October 1726.

[p. 140] Die 1 missam solemnem de Sp. Sto cantavit D. Praeses pro foelici studiorum inchoatione. Numerus et officia omnium in Collegio initio mensis hujus.

*Seniores 9.*

Ex. D. R. Witham praeses.

Erud. D. Ricardus Challoner Vicepraeses praefectus Studiorum  
Theologiae professor, Confessarius.

R. D. Georgius Kendal Theologiae professor, Confessarius.

R. D. Fran. Peter Procurator, Confessarius.

R. D. Atkinson, praefectus Generalis.

R. D. Joan. Betts Convictor.

R. D. Gulil. Thornbourgh Philosophiae Professor Confess.

R. D. Jac. Brown Confessarius Musaei praefectus, etc.

R. D. Gulielm. Maire Philosophiae professor.

*Profess. Lit. Human, 5.*

Mag. Gulielm<sup>s</sup> Green, Rhaetoricae.

R. D. Joan Cotes, Poeseos.

R. D. Rob. Kendall, Syntax.

Mr. Georg. Markham, Grammaticae.

R. D. Thom. Chambers, Rudimentorum.

*Theologi 11.*

D. Thom. Elston.

Mag. Joan. Butler.

D. Edoard<sup>s</sup> Bartlet.

Mag. Georg. Worthington.

D. Edoardus Harrington.

Mag. Georgius Ascough.

D. Rob. Pinkard hic Jo. Typper.

Mag. Guliel. Hassall.

D. Jo. Bap. Gough convictor.

Mag. Thom. Vavasour.

Mag. Joan. Wilkinson.

*Philosophi 10.*

Edoardus Kitchin.

Joan. Stapleton.

Thomas Roydon.

Gulielmus Forester.

Gulielmus Maire.

Joan. Clayton.

Rob. Cholmeley.

Joan. More.

Joan. Hankin.

Eduardus Stafford hic Wilford.

*Logici 6.*

Georgius Vavasour.

Jacob. Selby.

Thom. Berington.

Gulielm. Jenison.

Eduardus Elston.

Petrus Hesket.

*Rhetores 8.*

Andreas Johnson.

Joan. Samuel (Tournier).

Georg. Heddon.

Bernard<sup>s</sup> Howard.

Thom. Atherton.

Carolus Nevill.

Rob. Markham.

Thomas Belson.

*Poetae 8.*

Albanus Butler.

Turbervill Needham.

Roland Eyre hic Kemp.

Christop. Gradell.

Major Vavasour.

Bened. Conquest.

Guliel. Bourk (Castle Connel).

Joan. Williamson.



*Syntasiani 11.*

Henricus Heneage hic Hickman.	Edward <sup>s</sup> Daniel.
Hugo Kendall.	Joan Pots.
Gulielm <sup>s</sup> Berington.	Henricus Bellasyse.
Gualterus Green.	Gulielmus Haughton Dalton.
Gualterus Blount.	Joan Rowe.
Eduard <sup>s</sup> Clayton.	

*Grammatici 17.*

Henricus Witham.	Georgius Witham.
Georgius Bradshaw.	Thom. Petre.
Ricard <sup>s</sup> Butler.	Jacobus Smith (Bishop).
Thom. Blasedall.	Thom. Hodgson.
Ricard Kendall.	Gulielmus Grimbleston.
Fran. White	[p. 141] Michael Dale.
Joan Houghton Dalton.	Albertus Dunn.
Josephus Syre.	Joan Chester.
Arthurus Leak (Stonor).	

*Figuristae 13.*

Nicol. Tournier.	Joannes Heneage.
Thom. Simeon (Weld).	Thomas Hawarden.
Joan Smith (Bishop).	Joan. Garter.
Thom. Howard.	Francisc. Needham.
Gulielmus Arundel (Rowe).	Thom. Banister (Webb).
Thom. Aston (Ireland).	Joan. Shepherd.
Joan Roberts.	

*In 2da classe 10.*

Thom Fitzgerald.	Henricus Maire.
Joan. Busby.	Anton. Jefferson.
Rob. Needham.	Rob. Haughton.
Joan Haydock (Shuttleworth).	Hugo Roberts.
Thom. Collingwood.	Anton. Bellasyse.

*In 3 Classe 8.*

Eduard <sup>s</sup> Sadler (Ashton).	Thom. Parry.
Carolus Needham.	Jacob. Roch (Butler).
Gulielmus Anderton.	Jacobus Sanchez.
Fran. Anderton.	Josephus Sanchez.
In collegio—116.	
famuli 8.	

Die 2da discessit in Angliam Joan Rowe e Syntaxi.  
 Die 4 Dunkercae primitias suas celebravit R. adm D. Joan Betts  
 ordinatus presbyter Ipris die 21 mensis praeteriti.  
 Die 6to accessit Thomas Tournier<sup>s</sup> ad rudimenta.

*November 1726, Decembr.*

Hoc mense vel sequenti reversus est Londono Jacobus hic Josephus  
 Brown Grammaticus et Thomas Wilson hic Clark qui rudimentis  
 operam dat.

In fine hujus anni In collegio personae 118 praeter famulos.

\* Probably the younger brother of Nicholas Tournier.

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1727.

*Januar:*

Die 19 Parisiis ordinatus est Rdsm<sup>s</sup> D. Franciscus de Bagnol de la Salle Episcopus Atrebatensis, quo die a Vicario Generali ordinatae fuerunt preces expositio Venerabilis Sacramenti et Benedictio ob eum finem etc.

*February et March.*

Sabb 4 temporū die 8 Martii Ipris ad Diaconatum promoti sunt D. Edw. Mullineux et D. Rob. Pinkard hic Jo. Tipper, Theologi 3tii anni.

Ludov. Brown die 9 Julii proxime Elapsi [*in margin* dimissus fuerat e collegio] Londini factus apostata a vera religione, post praestitum juramentū alumnorum, uxorem duxit, et sperat beneficium Ecclesiasticum inter Anglos-protestantes.

Die 17 et 19 Februarii habitae sunt disputationes de octo lib. Physicorum et de coelo et mundo etc. sub R.D. Gul. Thornborough, respondibus mane imo die Thomas Roydon et Joan Stapylton\* a meridie Gulielm<sup>s</sup> Maire et Joan Hankin. postero die mane Rob Cholmeley et Joan Hawkins, a meridie Edw Kitchin et Edoard<sup>s</sup> Stafford hic Wilford.

Die 29 Mart. Sabbato ante Dom. passionis ad Subdiaconū Ipris ordinati sunt Joan Couban hic Butler, Joan. Wilkinson et Georgius Ball hic Worthington—Ad sacrum presbyteratus ordinem D. Thomas Elston vere Winckley et D. Ed. Bartlet.

*April 1727.*

Discessit in Angliam avocatus a consanguineis Nob. Dnus Carolus Stonor e Rhaetica die Aprilis 16 peracto prius exercitio Spiritualis Hebdomda Sta.

Discessit paucis post diebus Thomas Belson e Rhaetica. Et circa idem tempus discessit saltem ad tempus e Poesi nobilissimus Juvenis Hibernus de Brittas et Castle Connel Gulielmus Bourk, optimae spei juvenis et qui ab aliquot annis militiae ascriptus erat.

Habitaee sunt disputationes Logicae preside R.D. Gulielmo Maire, Edoardus Winckley, Gulielmus Saltmarsh, a meridie Georgius Vavasour, Jacobus Strother.

*Pro mense Maio 1727.*

[p. 143] Accesserunt circa finem mensis praeteriti vel in initio hujus D. Thomas Chester qui ante annos 6 absolverat primum Philosophiae annum. Et cum eo duo juvenes Carolus Shimel† Essexiensis et Jacobus Warham Londinensis uterque ad rudimenta. [*In margin* Accesserunt die 29 Martii].

Die 16to Maii Accesserunt tres juvenes‡ [*blank*] Lewison vere Pots [*blank*] Harwick§ et [*blank*] Cornish.

\* The large silver cup given by John Stapylton to the College to commemorate this defension is now at St. Edmund's College, Old Hall. It bears the Errington arms quartered with Stapylton, and is inscribed *Ex dono nob. D. Joa. Stapylton Phiam defendentis 1727, sub R. D. Gul. Thornburgh.*

† Son of John Shimmel and his wife Eleanor or Ellen Turner of Shropshire, but the diary says he was born in Essex. He became the father of two priests, Rev. Charles and Thomas Shimmell.

‡ The full names were John Potts als. Levison, George William Francis Hardwick, and John Cornish.

§ Son of Francis Hardwick and Ann Torner, born in Lichfield dioc. 28 Nov. 1712. After ordination in 1741 he was missioner successively at Yeldersley Derbyshire and



Die 19 habitae sunt defensiones Theologicae de 7 Sacramentis, Praeside R.D. Georgio Kendall, mane respondente D. Edoardus Mullineux diac.; meridie Joan Tipper, vere Rob. Pinkhard diaconus.

Die 20 mane Joannes Couban hic Butler Subdiac.; a meridie Georgius Ball hic Worthington.

Die 21 mane Gulielmus Hassal, horis pomeridianis R.D. Thomas Winckley hic Elston; omnes cum applausu.

Die 24 Vesperias ad Doctoratum habuit Erud. D. Ricardus Challoner: orationem de illo habuit D. Praeses.

Die 27 Laurea Doctoralem accepit quam jamdudum omniū opinione et judicio optime meruerat Exim. D. Ricardus Challoner, Theologiae per sex annos Professor.

Die 30 hinc in Angliam discessit cum D. Ingilby Soc. J., Thomas Weld hic Simeon ex comit, Dorcestriae ob periculum sanitatis.

*Jun. 1727.*

Accessit ad Collegiū Josephus Barnes\* e Cumbriā Rudimentis operam daturus.

Disputationes ad Baccalaureatum habuit R.D. Georgius Kendal.

Ad urbem et ad monasterium Benedictinorum Anglorum accessit Rdssms Dnus Thomas Dom. Williams Episcopus Tiberiopolitanus Vicarius Apostolicus in partibus Angliae Septentrionalibus. Fuit hic ad prandium quando Praeses dedit convivium in Refectorio pro festo Sti Roberti. Celebravit etiam semel in nostro Collegio.

Cum ipso Insulas profectus est D. Praeses.

Circa finem hujus viz die 22 mortuus est apud Osnabrug Georgius 1<sup>mus</sup> dictus Angliae Rex.

Discessit circa finem mensis Gulielm. Saltmarsh hic Jenison e Logica.

*Jul. 1727.*

[p. 144] Die 1 primam disputationem ad Licentiam habuit R.D. Georgius Kendall et tres sequentes hoc mense.

Accessit initio mensis aut in finem praecedentis Georgius Bordley† e comitatu Lancastriensi.

Disputationes ad Baccalaureatum habuit D. Gulielmus Thornbourge.

Accessit die 26 Gul. Witham‡ nepos Praesidis ad Rudimenta.

Disputationes Philosophiæ Universæ Praeside R.D. Thornbourg, Roydon, Stapylton, Maire, Foster, Cholmeley, Hankins, Hawkins, Kitchin, 8 defendentes cum applausu.

Paynesley, then chaplain to Sir Henry Hunloke at Wingerworth where he died 27 Nov., 1767. He had been elected Capitular in 1762.

\* Born 29 Sept. 1713 in Carlisle diocese. Ordained priest 1739. Professor of Philosophy 1740-1743. Missioner at Oscott, then at Kendal. Died at Mawley 20 Aug. 1761.

† Simon George Bordley son of William Bordley of Thurnham, yeoman. Born 28 Oct. 1709. After ordination in 1735 he became a well-known priest school-master. See Gillow *Bibl. Dict.* i. 272, and Westby-Gibson, *Memoir of Simon Bordley* (London, 1890). Died 3 Nov. 1799.

‡ He was the great-nephew of the President, being the fifth son of William Witham, his nephew, and Ann dau. of Sir Henry Lawson, Bart. of Brough. He died at Douay 6 May, 1728, while still a schoolboy.

*Aug. 1727.*

Die 11 discessit completis studiis cum Patre Parisios nob. Juv. Joan. Hawkins.

Die 12 Accessit cum Dno Sheperd Rob. Heneage\* de Heynton Lincolnensis Rudimentis operam daturus.

Die 16 discesserunt M. Thomas Vavasour de Willitoft absoluto 1mo Theol. anno, et Rob Cholmeley de Bransby absoluto laudabiliter Philosophiae cursu.

Die 7 accesserunt tres juvenes e comitatu Lancastriae Jacobus Whalley,† Petrus Wearing‡ et Ricardus Gant§ ad rudimenta.

Die 30 accessit Carolus Whitgrave de Moysley|| in comitatu Staffordiensis ad rudimenta.

Die 31 In Anglicanā missionem profectus est R.D. Thomas Chambers et simul avocatus a Patre ad tempus nob. puer Edw. Aston hic Sadler filius Illustrmi Vicecomitis Aston, una cū D.D. Shepherd.

*Sept̃ 1727.*

Die 6 In Anglicanam missionem profectus est R.D. Robertus Kendall et cum eo Edoard. Winckley hic Elston absoluto primae Phiae anno.

Die 1 discessit in Angliam Henric<sup>s</sup> Blackwell alias Gailor.

Die 29 Illustrissimus et Rdssm<sup>s</sup> Franciscus de Baglion de la Salle Episcopus Atrebatensis hospitium accepit in Collegio in cubiculo Hospitum et Amplissim<sup>s</sup> D. Bosseot Vicarius Generalis in cubiculo Praesidis, Superior seminarii Episcopalis in cubiculo Procuratoris. R.D. Secretarius Hattevielle in cubiculo Vicepraesidis et famuli in Valetudinario Currus et equi apud nos in stabulo etc. Mansit hic per tres dies et iterum una nocte reversus ab Abbatia Marchianensi.

*Octobr. 1727.*

[p. 145] Die 6 Rdssmus Episcopus Atrebatensis contulit Sacramentum Confirmationis nostris studiosis in nostra Ecclesia et eadem die reversus est Atrebatum.

Die 1 apertae sunt Scholae de more sed absque orationculis in classibus.

*Seniores 9.*

Ex. D. R. W. Praeses.

Exim Dns Ricardus Challoner Vicepraeses et Theologiae professor Confessarius

R.D. Georg. Kendal Theologiae professor et Confessarius.

R. D. Fran. Petre Procurator et Confessarius.

R. D. Jo. Betts Convictor.

R. D. Thom. Atkinson Praefectus Generalis.

\* Fourth son of George Heneage of Hainton, Lincs. Esq., and Elizabeth, dau. of Sir Henry Hunloke; born 30 July, 1714.

† Mr. Gillow (C.R.S. vi. 187) says he probably was son of Thurston Whalley of Warton. He was born 27 May, 1710. He left the College in 1732 through ill-health and did not return.

‡ Son of John Wareing of Poulton, born 1712, ordained 1740, afterwards apostatised and died 1773. See memoir, C.R.S. xvi. 573.

§ Probably one of the Gaunts of Great Singleton, Lanc., popularly supposed to be descended from John of Gaunt.

|| Fifth son of Thomas Whitgreave of Moseley Court, near Wolverhampton, Esq., and Isabella, dau. of William Turville, Esq., of Aston Flamville, Leicestershire. Born 6 Aug. 1711, died without issue and was buried at St. Pancras, London.



R. D. Guliel. Thornbourg Praefectus studiorū Philosophiae Professor et Confessor.

R. D. Jacobus Brown (Maxvell) musaei praefectus et confessarius ordinarius.

R. D. Gulielm. Maire Philosophiae Professor.

*Professores Humaniorum literarum 7.*

R. D. Cotes Rhaetoricae professor.

D. Gulielm<sup>s</sup> Green Poeseos et non alumnus.

R. D. Edoardus Bartlet Syntaxeos.

D. [Edoardus] Kitchin Grammaticae.

R. D. Thomas Winckley hic Elston rudimentorum.

D. Georgius Markham ad mensam professorum.

D. Jo. Bap. Gough, diac. et convictor ad mensam professorū.

*Theologi 13.*

D. Edoardus Mullineux hic Harrington valetud. praefectus Diac.

D. Joannes Tipper (Rob. Pinhard) Diac, culinae praefectus.

D. Joan Wilkinson Subdiac.

D. Joan. Butler Subdiac. Biblioth. praefectus.

D. Georg. Worthington Subdiac.

M. Georg. Ascough Dormitarii praefectus.

M. Guliel. Hassal Vestiarii praefectus.

M. Thom. Chester Convictor.

M. Joan. More.

M. Gulielm. Forster.

Mr. Thom. Roydon.

Mr. Jacobus Hankins.

Mr. Gulielmus Maire.

*Phi 1. Anni 3.*

Georg. Vavasour.

Petrus. Hesket.

Jacob. Selby (Strother).

*Philosophi 2. Anni 8.*

Major Vavasour.

Joan Samull (Turner).

Bernard<sup>s</sup> Howard.

Rolandus Eyer hic Kemp.

Andreas Johnson (Waite)

Georgius Heddon.

[p 146] Rob. Markham.

Thomas Atherton.

*Rhaetores 6.*

Albanus Butler.

Jacob. Williamson.

Turbervillus Needham.

Benedictus Conquest.

Christop. Gradel.

Georgius Bordley.

*In Poesi 11.*

Hugo Kendal.

Ed. Daniel.

Gulielmus Berrington.

Gualterus Blount.

Joannes Cornish.

Gualterus Green.

Edoardus Clayton.

Gulielm<sup>s</sup> Holland (Haughton Dalton).

Henricus Heneage.

Joan. Pots.

Henricus Bellasys.

*In Syntaxi 18.*

Josephus Syre.

Joan. Chester.

Henricus Witham.

Guliel. Grimbalston.

Ricard<sup>s</sup> Butler.  
 Georg. Bradshaw.  
 Fran. White.  
 Thom. Bleasall.  
 Ricard. Kendall.  
 Albertus Dun.  
 Thom. Hodgson.

Joan. Roberts.  
 Nicolaus Tournier.  
 Joseph<sup>s</sup> Barnes.  
 Joan. Heneage.  
 Antonius Bellasis.  
 Fran. Needham.  
 Thom. Howard.

Georg. Witham.  
 Arthurus Leak (Stonor).  
 Thom. Petre.  
 Joan. Holland Dalton.  
 Jacob<sup>s</sup> Smith (Bishop).  
 Michael Dale.  
 Joseph Brown.

*Grammatici* 13.

Joan. Smith (Bishop).  
 Henricus Maire.  
 Gulielm Arundell.  
 Thomas Lewson.  
 Georgius Hardwick.  
 Thomas Collingwood.

*In Rudimentis* 29.*1 Class.*

Thomas Clerk.  
 Fran. Anderton.  
 Joan. Sheperd.  
 Hugo Roberts.  
 Thomas Hawarden.  
 Thomas Banister.  
 Jacobus Sanchez.

Joan. Haddock (Shuttleworth).  
 Robertus Holland (Dalton).  
 Jacob. Warham.  
 Thom. Garter.  
 Joseph Sanchez.  
 Thom. Turner.  
 Gulielm Anderton.

*2 Class.*

Gulielm Witham.  
 Rob. Heneage.  
 [*James*] Whally.  
 [*blank*] Bamber.  
 [*Peter*] Waring.  
 Anton Jefferson.  
 Rob. Needham.  
 Thom. Aston.

Thom. FitzGerald.  
 Joan Busby.  
 Thom. Parry.  
 Carol. Needham.  
 Carol. Shimel.  
 Jacob. Roch.  
 Carol Whitgrave.

*Oct<sup>br</sup> Nov<sup>br</sup> December.*

[p. 147] R. Abbas Thomas Stricklandus Meckliniae consecratus est Episcopus Namurcensis.

Circa hoc tempus serenissimus Rex Angliae morabatur Avenione in Galliis, Regina cum Principe Walliae et Duce Eboracensi Bononiae in Italia.

Mense Octobri disputationes ad Licentiam absolvit R.D. Gulielmus Thornborough.

Mense Oct. Nov. et Decembri disputationes ad Baccalaureatum et Licentiam absolvit similiter R.D. Joannes Betts Convictor.

Die 13 Decembris accessit Thomas Scarisbrick<sup>s</sup> filius Rob. Scarisbrick Armigeri de Scarisbrick in comitatu Lancastriensi a Collegio Audomar-ensi huc missus a Patre; Rudimentis operam dat.

\* Basil Thomas Scarisbrick was the eighth and youngest son of Robert Scarisbrick of Scarisbrick Hall and Ann Messenger of Fountains Abbey. He was born 1713, assumed the name of Eccleston in 1742, married Elizabeth, dau. of Edward Dicconson, Esq., of Wrightington Hall, and died in 1789.



Sabbato 4 Temporū Ipris ab Episcopo Iprensi ad Tonsuram et 4 Minores et Subdiaconatum promoti sunt Georgius Ascough diœcesis Cestriensis e comitatu Lancastriae et Gulielmus Hassal e Salopia diœcesis Lichfeldiensis; Ad Diaconatum Joannes Wilkinson, Joan. Couban hic Butler et Georgius Ball hic Worthington omnes diœcesis Cestriensis et e Lancastria.

Similiter ad sacrum presbyteratus ordinem D. Edoardus Mollineux hic Harrington Diœcesis Cestriensis et comitatus Lancastriensis et D Robertus Pinckard hic Joan. Tipper diœc Londinensis.

Die 24 in vigilia nativitatis Dni juramentum alumnorum praestituerunt Georgius Vavasour\* de Willoughtoft Eboracensis philosophus 2<sup>di</sup> anni Albanus Butler [blank] Rhaetor et Edoardus Daniel† Diœcesis Cestriensis et e Lancastria Poeta.

In solemnitate Nativitatis Dni in nocte primitias suas per sacrum solemne Deo obtulit R. adm D. Rob Pinkard.

Et mane similiter per sacrum solemne R. adm. D. Edoardus Mollineux.

In fine anni erant in Collegio personae personae, 118 praeter famulos. Idem numerus ac anno superiori.

Finis an. 1727.

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Anno 1728.

Januar. Feb.

Die roma feb. ex hac vita discessit R.D. Thomas Atkinson Eboracensis Praefectus Generalis per tres annos et aliquot mensis, annos natus 28 sacerdotii 4, vir mitissimus et invictae patientiae, qui nunquam ne semel quidem conquestus est de molesto illo Praefecti officio, in quo erat vigilantissimus, vir doctus et insigni pietate et humilitate praeditus. Febri et gutturi ac forte pulmonum inflammatione extinctus est post morbum 10 circiter aut 12 dierum, omnibus Ecclesiae sacramentis rite munitus et cum summa devotione susceptis et cum integerrima suiipsius in Dei manus resignatione.

In ejus locum Praefecti generalis suffectus est a Praeside R.D. Thomas Winkley hic Elston, qui rudimentorum fuit magister et cum in priori Philosophiae cursu non esset nisi unus qui idoneus videbatur ad propugnandam cum laude Philosophiam universam, viz. Georgius Vavasour visum est constituere dictum mag. Vavasour Rudimentorum Professorem in mensa Professorum.

March 1728.

Die 25 Praeses Atrebatum profectus est cum octo qui ordines erant suscepturi.

Sabbato Sancto die 27 a Rdssimo Francisco de Baglion de la Salle Episcopo Atrebatensi in capella Seminarii Episcopalis ad ordines respective promoti sunt:—

Ad Tonsuram et 4 minores ordines Edvardus Kitchin diœcesis Cestriensis, et Georg. Vavasour diœc. Eboracensis.

\* George Vavasour of Willitof, Yorks.

† Son of John Daniel of Whittingham and Durton, Lancs., and brother of the Rev. Thomas and William Daniel. After ordination in 1733 he was chaplain to the Molyneux family at Mosborough Hall and afterwards served the missions of Robert Hall, Claughton, Garstang, Wyresdale, Scarborough and York where he died 1 May, 1765.

Ad Tonsuram 4 minores ordines et Subdiaconatum Thomas Roydon diœcesis Eboracensis, Gulielmus Foster diœcesis Cestriensis et Gulielmus Maire de Lartington in ea parte comitatus Eboracensis quae Richmondia dicitur diœcesis Cestriensis. D. Georgius Crosby diœcesis Cestriensis ad Diaconatum. D. Thom. Wilkinson et D. Joannes Couban (hic Butler) uterque ex comitatu Lancastriae et diœcesis Cestriensis ad sacrum presbyteratus ordinem.

*Mens. Aprilis.*

Die 5 Aprilis quando celebrabatur festum Annuntiationis B.M. Virginis primitias suas Deo offerebat R. admum D.D. Joan. Couban hic Butler.

Ad medium 10<sup>mae</sup> ritu et cantu solemnî R. adm Dnus D<sup>nus</sup> Joannes Wilkinson.

Discessit Parisios D. Joan. Gough Diaconus Convictor.

[p. 149] Die 9no in Angliam discessit Gualterus Blount Poeta.

Die 27. In missionem Anglicanam profectus est R.D. Gulielmus Maire de Hartbushes in comitatu Dunelmensi, vir doctus in omni fere scientiarum genere, postquam unum Philosophiae cursum docuerat, humilis pius etc.

Eodem die in Angliam discessit ob debilitatem visus et oculorum Thomas Collingwood Dunelmensis e rudimentis.

Eodem etiam die Ambianum profectus est magister Georgius Markham qui theologiam absolverat et per plures annos literas humaniores docuerat. Convictor.

*May 1728.*

Die 6to hujus mensis ex hac vitâ ad aeternam ut fas est ex multis argumentis sperare transiit D. Gulielmus Witham, tertius filius Gulielm et Annae Lawson, ex familia de Cliff in comitatu Eboracensi, diuturno Hydropico morbo extinctus, nepos D. Praesidis, et die sequenti sepultus est in Ecclesiâ Parochiali S. Jacobi. Requiescat in pace.

Hoc mense mortuus est Eminent. Cardlis Gualterius Angliae Protector in cujus locum suffectus est a Papa et Rege Em. Card<sup>lis</sup> Davia.

Die 30. Ex Anglia ad nos reversus est nob. juvenis Edoardus Aston, hic Sadler filius Illustrissimi Vicecomitis Aston de Tixwell, Standon etc.

*June 1728.*

Die 12 discessit Jacobus Strother hic Selby.

Die 19 discessit cum Patre suo Gulielmus Rowe hic Arundel Londinensis e Grammaticâ.

[From this entry of 19 June till 9 September the diary is in Dr. Challoner's handwriting].

Discesserat autem antea viz Die 7 hujus mensis mensis nob. Adolescens Jacobus Butler hic Roch Filius natu maximus Illustrissimi Baronis de Cahire in Hibernia. Eodemque die Carolus Whitgreave de Moseley in comitatu Staffordiae sanitatis recuperandae causâ, hinc Brugas perrexit cum R. Dño Maxwel hic Brown.

Die 17 Eximius D. Praeses Dunkercam se contulit Directoris Extraordinarii munere apud Clarissas illic in Transitu functurus, indeque in Angliam negotiorum causâ profecturus.



[p. 150] Die 22 Discessit e Grammatica propter Epilepsiae morbum studiorum suorum cursum perficere non valens, Joannes Bishop hic Smith, Filius Dni Cecilii Bishop Batoneti de Parham in comitatu Sussexiae. Discessit autem cū Sapientissimo magistro Matthaeo Beare S. Facultatis Parisiensis Doctore Theologo in Anglicanam missionem proficiscente.

Eodem Die convivio a nobis exceptus est in conclavi Illustrissimus vicecomes Montisacuti\* in Transitu nos invisens.

Eodem die mane habitae sunt Disputationes Logicae Praeside Eruditissimo Dño Thornburgh, Respondentibus Thoma Atherton Lancastriensi et Georgio Henrico Heddon Eboracensi utroque Alumno.

Die 23 Disputationes continuatae sunt Respondentibus mane Rolando Eyre hic Kemp de Hassop et Andrea Waite hic Johnson Alumno ex comitatu Southamptoniensi. A meridie vero Major Vavasour, Nottinghamiansi et Joanne Tournier hic Samuel Londinensi collegii Alumno.

Contigit autem ut a meridie D. Thornburgh Febri Tertianâ correptus praesidis officio fungi non potuerit Quare Vices illius obiit Erud. D. Georg. Kendal. S.T. Prof.

#### July.

Die 1<sup>o</sup> morbo variolarū correptus est Robertus Needham Figurista.

Die 4 in villam Rusticanam vulgo La Croix se contulit cum duobus Professoribus et 21, Studiosis Dñs vicepraeses. Erant autem qui illic se contulerunt ob variolarum metum Professores Mag<sup>r</sup> Green, Poeseos, et Mag<sup>r</sup> Vavasour Rudimentorum. Philosophi 1<sup>i</sup> anni Andreas Johnson, et Bernardus Howard (Licet hic non ob variolarū metum, sed ob infirmam valetudinem illic ire permissus sit) Rhaetor Benedictus Conquest. Poetae, Gul. Berington, Edw. Clayton, Io. Cornish, Syntaxiani, Henricus et Georgius Witham, Franc: White, Georg. Bradshaw, Albertus Dun, Grammatici Hic. Tournier, Tho. Howard, Hen<sup>s</sup> Maire. Figuristae Tho. Tournier, Edw. Sadler, Ric. Gant, Jo. Busby, Rob. Heneage, Jac. Whaley, Carolus Needham. Porro duo Professores docendi onus ita inter se partiti sunt, ut tres classes superiores doceat Mag<sup>r</sup> Green; Reliquas Mr. Vavasour. In reliquis omnibus Exercitiis Vicepraeses dedit operam ut collegii Regulae observarentur.

[p. 151] Die 9 Ad collegium accessit [Jacobus] Cammoce† missus Rothomago ab avunculo suo Dño Trentham hujus collegii Presbytero et monialium illic Directore: eodemque die in villam Rusticanam missus est Rudimentis operam navaturus, cum iis qui illo se contulerant. Porro eodem die a villâ revocatus est Bernardus Howard, in Angliam brevi profecturus.

Die 10 in villam se contulit Dñs Brown Praefectus musaei.

Die 12 Rediit Dñs Vicepraeses in cujus locum sequenti die in villam profectus est Dñs Petre Procurator.

Die 15 Accessit huc ex Angliâ, Gulielmus Steel‡ ex Agro Eboracensi Tredecim Annorum Puer, Rudimentis operam daturus.

\* Anthony Browne, 6th Visc. Montagu, succeeded to the peerage 1717; died 1787.

† In this diary his name is spelt Cammoce and also Kamock. He died at Douay before ordination 21 May, 1736.

‡ Ordained 1739. It does not appear where he worked as priest, but he died insane at Egham 27 Sept. 1764.

Die 17 Discesserunt Angliam versus *Bernardus Howard* Philosophus primi Anni, Filius *Bernardi Howard* de Norfolciâ et *Annae Roper* ex Baronibus de Tenham, et *Thomas Petre* Filius natus minimus Dni Petre de Bellhouse In Comitatu Essexiensi.

Diebus 26, 27, et 28, Mane et a Meridie Theses Theologicas de virtutibus Theolog. Gratia, Justificatione et Merito, sub Eruditissimo Dno Georgio Kendall defenderunt cum Applausu D. Georgius Crosby hic Asquith, D. Gul. Hassal, D. Thomas Roydon, D. Gul. Maire, Mr. Tho. Chester, D. Georgius Ball hic Worthington:

Die 31 mane Domum redierunt ex villâ cum Dño Procuratore Studiosi qui per Quatuor jam Hebdomadas manserant in villâ apud Coutiche.

*August.*

Die 6<sup>o</sup> et 7<sup>o</sup> Augusti Theologiam universam Dedicatam Illustrissimo Episcopo Atrebatensi summo cum applausu et magnâ Auditorum frequentia propugnarunt D. Joan. Couban hic Butler, Lancastriensis, et D. Rob. Pinckard, hic Joan. Typper Londinensis, uterque sacerdos. Presidebat autem Dñs Vicepraeses.

Die 7 Ad collegium accesserunt cū Dño Shuttleworth Sacerdote hujus collegii Alumno; ex Angliâ Gul. Towneley\* unicus filius Richardi Towneley de Towneley in comitatu Lancastriensi, Armigeri, Joan: Hornyold† ex comitatu Vigorniensi, et Samuel Walker Londinensis omnes Rudimentis operam daturi.

Die 14 Dns *Hinde* alias *Wakeman* Alumnus et sacerdos hujus collegii Bruxellis commorans cū Illmo Comite de *Darwentwater* scripsit ad Dñm Praesidem obtentam fuisse ab Illmo nuncio Bruxellensi Romae Facultatem quam petierat Praeses Novum Testamentum in Anglicanum Sermonem a Se translatum in Lucem edendi.

*September.*

[p. 152] Die 5 Perillustris Dñs *Webb* Filius natus maximus Perillustris Dni Joannis *Webb* Baronetti, nos invisit in Transitu a Parisiis Bruxellas, et Prandio in conclavi exceptus est. Idem pro certo nobis affirmavit, sed sub Secreto, Marchionem de Blandford, futurū Ducem de Marlborough ejurata Haeresi in Ecclesiae Catholicae Gremium, Nuper Parisiis receptū esse. Numeratur autem hic 7 inter magnae Britanniae Pares qui intra Biennium circiter ad Catholicam Fidem conversi sunt: sex alii sunt Dux de Wharton, Comites de Southesk et Dumbarton, vicecomes de Kilseith, Barones de Tenham, et North et Gray.

Die 9. Rediit Dñs Praeses, et cum eo ad collegium venit Philippus Vavasour de Willitof in comitatu Eboracensi Rudimentis operam daturus.

\* He was the eldest, but not, as the Diary states, the only son of Richard Towneley of Towneley and Hon. Mary Widdrington, dau. of William Lord Widdrington. He was born in 1714, married Cecilia dau. and heiress of Ralph Standish of Standish Esq. and died 2 Feb. 1741.

† The future Bishop of Philomelia and V.A. Midland District 1752-1778. Second son of John Hornyold of Blackmore Park, and Hanley Castle, Worcestershire and Mary dau. of Sir Pyers Mostyn of Talacre, Flintshire, Bart. See *Gillow Biog. Dict.* III. 399.



[*The diary is resumed in Dr. Witham's handwriting.*]

Cum Dño Preside venerunt ex Anglia et nos in transitu per dies 4 aut 8 inviserunt tres Londinenses D. Rob. Knowles, D. Petrus Hasaert et D. Edoardus Harley.

Die 25. Missus est in vineam Anglicanam R.D. Edoardus Mullineux hic Harrington completis 4 Theologiae annis, Lancastriensis.

*Octobr 1728.*

Circa finem mensis praecedentis In nostro Collegio iterum hospitium acceptavit Illustrissimus ac Rdssm<sup>s</sup> D. Franc. de Baglion de La Salle Episcopus Atrebatensis cum Vicario Generali Secretario etc. et apud nos manserunt per duos aut tres dies. Sacramentum Confirmationis contulit in Ecclesia Parochiali S. Jacobi.

Ima die mensis Octobris apertae sunt Scholae absque oratiunculis in Scholis.

*Seniores 10.*

Ex. D. Witham Praeses.

Exim. D. Ricardus Challoner Vicepraeses Theologiae Professor Confessarius.

Erud D. Georg. Kendall Theologiae Professor et Confessarius.

R.D. Fran. Petre Procurator et Confessarius.

Erud. Dn Joan Philip Betts Convictor.

Erud D. Guliel Thornburge Praefectus Studiorum Confess. et Philos. Professor.

R.D. Jacob<sup>s</sup> Brown Confess Concionator et Musaei Praefectus.

R.D. Thom. Winckley hic Elston Praefectus Generalis.

R.D. Joannes Cotes Philos Professor.

R.D. Hawkins Convictor.

[p. 153] *Professores Lit Humaniorum 5.*

R.D. Ed. Bartlet Poeseos Prof.

R.D. Rob. Pinckhard hic Tipper Syntaxeos Prof.

R.D. Joan Wilkinson Rudimentorum Prof.

R.D. Joan Couban hic Butler Grammaticae Prof.

M. Georg. Markham Rhaetor Profess. et convictor.

*Theologi 12.*

D. Georgius Ball hic Worthington diaconus.

D. Georg. Crosby hic Ascough Diac. Praefect valetudinarii.

D. Gulielmus Hassal Subdiac Praefectus Vestiarii.

D. Thom. Roydon Praefectus Culinae Subdiac.

D. Gulielmus Foster Praef. Bibliothecae Subdiaconus.

Mag. Gulielmus Green alumnus a festo Epiphaniae.

M. Thom. Chester Convictor.

M. [Joannes] Moor.

M. Hankins (Joannes).

M. Ed. Kitchin Acolythus.

M. Georg Vavasour Acolythus.

M. Pet. Hesket.

*Philos. 1. Anni 7.*

Georgius Heddon alumnus.	Joan Turner (Samuel) Alumnus.
Andreas Johnson alumnus.	Rolandus Eyre hic Kemp.
Rob. Markham alumnus.	Major Vavasour.
Thom. Atherton alumnus.	

*Philos 2di Anni 7.*

Albanus Butler alumn.	Tubervillus Needham.
Georg. Bordley Alum.	Henricus Heneage.
Christop. Gradell Alum.	Jacobus Williamson.
Bened. Conquest,	

*Rhaetores 11.*

Edoardus Daniel alumnus.	Gualterus Green.
Henricus Bellasis.	Joan. Pots.
Gulielmus Berrington.	Ricardus Butler.
Gulielmus Holland Dalton.	Th. Nugent.
Hugo Kendal.	Joan. Cornish.
Eduardus Clayton.	

*Poetae 16.*

Joan. Chester.	Gul. Grimalston.
Henricus Witham.	Arthurus Stonor hic Leak.
Georg. Witham.	Michael Dale.
Joan. Dalton hic Holland.	Jac. Bishop hic Smith.
Thom. Blasedal.	Josephus Syre
Ric. Kendal alumnus.	Thom. Hodgson.
Fran. White.	Josephus Brown.
Georg. Gibson hic Bradshaw.	Albertus Dun.

*Syntaxiani 14.*

Joannes Heneage.	Henricus Maire.
Thom. Howard.	Thom. Lewson.
Thom. Petre.	Georg. Hardwick.
Nicol. Tournier.	Joseph. Barnes.
Joannes Robert.	Guliel. Jenison.
Franciscus Needham.	Thom. Clark.
Antonius Bellasis.	Thom. Banister.

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*Grammatici 14.*

Franciscus Anderton.	Rob. Dalton hic Holland.
Gulielmus Anderton.	Richardus Gant.
Jacobus Sanchez.	Thom. Garter.
Josephus Sanchez.	Joan. Haydock Shuttleworth.
Thom. Hawarden.	Jacob. Sheperd.
Jacobus Warham.	Hugo Roberts.
Thom. Tournier.	Thom. Nevill.

*In 1 Classe Rudimentoru 9.*

Robertus Heneage.	Carolus Shimell.
Thom. Parry.	Thom. Aston.
Anton. Jefferson.	Joan. Busby.
Jacob. Whaley.	Edw. Sadler.
Robertus Needham.	



*In secunda classe Rudimentorum 8.*

Gulielmus Steel	Samuel Walker.
Petrus Wering	Josephus Cammock.
Carolus Needham.	Gulielmus Towneley.
Joan Horniold	Philip. Vavasour.

*Omnes 113.*

absque 10 famulis.

*Mense Octobri accessit Gulielmus Jenison\* ad Syntaxim.**Novembr 1728—December.*

Reversus est ex Anglia Thom. Petre ad Syntaxim.

Accessit Thom. Nugent ad Rhaeticam.

Die 3 Octobris juramentum alumnorum praestitit Georg. Bordeley e comitatu Lancastriae dioecesis Cestriensis Philosophus Logicus primi Anni natus an Dni 1709 die 28 Octobris stylo veteri.

Die 4 Nob<sup>ris</sup> In festo S. Caroli juramentum alumnorum praestitit Christop Gradell natus die 13 Octobris an 1709. E comitatu Lancastriensi.

Die 29 Decembris Juramentum alumnorum praestitit Ricardus Kendall e comitatu Lancastriae Dioecesis Cestriensis natus annos circiter 19 Poeta.

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*Anno 1729.**Pro Mense Januarii.*

Die 6 in festo Epiphaniae Dni juramentum alumnorum praestitit Gulielmus Scot hic Green, annos natus 32 die 2 Novembris stilo veteri, theologus primi anni qui hic per plures annos, summa cum laude docuerat Literas humaniores.

Circa hoc tempus in Angliā discessit valetudinis causa et quia minus aptus studiis videbatur Petrus Groot hic Hesket alumnus.

Item discessit Thomas Garter e rudimentis aut Gramtica.

*Feb. Mart. April.*

In initio mensis Martii vocatus in Angliam discessit Ricardus Butler vere [blank] Lancastriensis e Rhaetica.

Ad Collegium accessit Franciscus Winter hic Edoards e comitatu de Brecknock ad Grammaticam.

Die 2 Aprilis Sabbato ante Dominicam Passionis Tonsuram et Ordines Atrebatii acceperunt Joannes Hankin, Joannes Moore et Edoardus Kitchin, duo priores Tonsuram minores ordines et Subdiaconatum, Kitchen Subdiaconatum tantum suscepit Theologi 2di anni.

Ad Diaconatum promoti D. Gulielmus Hassal ex Salopia, D. Thomas Roydon Eboracensis et D. Gulielmus Foster Lancastriensis prior 3tii posteriores 2d an. Theologi.

Ad sacrum presbyteratus ordinem D. Georgius Worthington Dioecesis Cestriensis vere Ball et D. Georgius Ascough vere Crosby item dioecesis Cestriensis.

Die 13 Aprilis ex hac vita ad aeternam ut speramus transiit R.D. Georgius Ascough priusquam primam celebravit missam, febre ut videatur Spirituum laborans omnibus Ecclesiae Sacramentis munitus.

\* One of the Jenisons of Hurworth, Durham.

*Mensis Maii.*

Accessit ad Collegium a Collegio Audomarensi Henricus Howard\* filius natu 2dus pernobilis D. Bernardi Howard de Norfolk.

Eodem die nos invisit, reversus Parisiis Nob. D. Rowlandus Bellasyse, et in Angliam discessit cum filio suo natu majori Henrico Bellasyse e Rhetorica ob malam valetudinem.

Die 7 ad Collegium venit et apud nos mansit usq. ad diem 13tiam Rdssmus et Illustrissimus D. Fran. de Baglion de la Salle Episcopus Atrebatensis cum Vicario Gen. Abbate Boseot et secretario D. Hattevielle.

Obiit circa hoc tempus Emin. Card. de Noailles Archiepiscopus Parisiensis.

[p. 156] Discessit Franciscus White e Poesi.

Discessit item in hebdomada Paschatis [blank] Anderton† Lancastriensis e Syntaxi ob infirmā valetudinem.

Discessit paulo ante Major Vavasour Philosophus 2di anni ut medicinae operam daret.

Discessit etiam Tubervillus Needham Philosophus primi anni.

*Jun. 1729.*

Discessit ob oculorum imbecillitatem nob. Rolandus Eyre de Hassop Philosophus secundi anni, et in Urbe aliquamdiu moratus est apud Refugium S. Amandi.

Die 11 Hujus mensis Sabb. 4 Temporum Atrebatum ad Tonsuram, 4 ordines minores et subdiaconatum promotus est. D. Gulielmus Scot hic Green.

Die 13 Discessit Joan. Shuttleworth hic Haydock e Syntaxi ad parentes in Angliam.

Eadem die convivium omnibus in Refectorio dedit D. Praeses ob festum Sti Roberti (fuit dies 7ma mensis) invitati sunt R.P. Guardianus et P. Anton Codrington S. T. Lector Recollectorum Anglorum et R.D. Supprior et Procurator Bened. Anglorum.

*July August.*

Discessit Michael Dale e Poesi.

In missionem profectus est R.D. Jacobus Brown qui per plures annos hic docuerat literas humaniores, qui fuerat per annos aliquot Praefectus Musaei et Confessarius ordinarius Collegii.

Item paulo post in Angliam missus est R.D. Edvardus Bartlet qui hic docuerat Syntaxim et Poesim.

Discesserat antea Thomas Webb e Syntaxi hic Banister ob quaedam negotia in Anglia discessit iterum [reversurus] ut speramus D. Thomas Chester juvenis magnae spei.

Ob malam valetudinem discessit nobilissimus juvenis Edvardus Aston hic Sadler filius natu maximus Illustrissimi Comitum Aston.

\* Second son of Bernard Howard of Norfolk and Ann dau. of Christopher Roper Lord Teynham. He was born 9 April 1713, married Juliana, dau. of Sir William Molyneux, Bart. of Wellow, Notts. by whom he had three sons and two daughters, the eldest son Bernard eventually becoming twelfth Duke of Norfolk. Henry Howard died 11 Nov. 1787.

† This must have been Francis as William was still at Douay after this date.



Eodem tempore discessit Thomas Hawarden Lancastriensis e Grammatica.

Item discessit ob malam valetudinem Gulielmus Dalton hic Holland.

Discessit mense maio Ricardus Butler vere Worsick Lancastriensis e poesi.

Discesserunt reversuri R.D. Rob. Pinkard hic Joes Typper Syn-taxeos Professor et Robertus Needham [*In margin* Non est reversus].

Habita sunt hoc Anno disputationes Logicae Praeside R. D. Joanne Cotes mane Albanus Butler et Henricus Heneage, a meridie Turbervillus Needham, Christophorus Gradell [p. 157] Disputationes Physicae Preside Erud. Dno Gulielmo Thornbournh Sac Theol Licentiat, Rolandus Eyre et Rob. Markham; a meridie Thom. Atherton, Georgius Henricus Heddon.

Disputationes Philosophiae universae Praesid. Erud. Dno Gulielmo Thornbournh, Robertus Markham, Andreas Johnson vere Waite, Georgius Henricus Heddon.

Disputationes Theologicae Gulielmus Foster, Thomas Roydon, Gulielmus Hassal Praeside, Eximio Dno Ricardo Challoner Vicepraeside.

Item Disputationes Theologicae Praeside Erud. Dno Georgio Kendall, D. Hankins, Magister Georgius Vavasour, D. Ed. Kitchin, D. Gulielmus Green.

Item Disputationes in universam Theologiam quae dedicata fuit Illustrissimo et Rdssmo Dno Spinelli Nuntio Apostolico Bruxellis Mag. Thomas Chester et R.D. Georgius Worthington vere Ball uterque cum magno applausu.

Accesserunt . . . Dolman Londinensis, Petrus Burrell hic Lampton. Bernardus Walsh—Jacobus Roche, hi duo ex Insulis Canariis.

Accesserunt item mense Augusto Jacobus Blundell et Edmundus Blondell.\*

#### Septemb.

Accesserunt e comitatu Lancastriensi Thomas Perkinson hic Golden et Jacobus Perkinson hic Cottam.† Rob. Butler vere Worsick et frater ipsius Thomas Butler‡ et Joes Harrison§.

\* Their real name was Butler. They were the second and third sons of Edward 6th Viscount Mountgarret and Elizabeth daughter of John Bryan, of Bawnmore, Kilkenny. The family was related to the Blundells of Crosby, whence the alias. James succeeded his brother Richard as Viscount in 1736 but died in 1743 when Edmund became 9th Viscount. He married Anne daughter of Toby Purcell, of Ballymartin, Kilkenny, and died in 1750.

† Thomas and James Parkinson were sons of Richard Parkinson of Broughton, Lancs., and his wife, a daughter of Richard Cottam of Banister Hey in Cloughton, Lancs. Thomas born in 1713 took as his *alias* Golden, that being the married name of his maternal aunt. He was ordained in 1741, served the missions of Blackbrook and Hardshaw Hall, and was killed by the fall of a stone slate on his head 7 March, 1751. James took his mother's maiden name of Cottam as his *alias*. He was ordained in 1741 and served the mission at Cloughton till his death 26 Jan. 1766. Another priest of the same name, ordained at Lisbon in 1758, died in the same year, at Ugthorpe, Yorks., on 13 November. The Register of Lisbon College appended to the *Historical Account of Lisbon College* published in 1902 is in error as to the date of death of the younger James Parkinson. See C.R.S. XII. 11 where both names are given with their respective dates.

‡ Robert and Thomas Worswick were sons of Robert Worswick and his wife

Accesserunt Carolus Howard filius Nob. D. Bernardi Howard,\* item Windsor Heneage et Franciscus Heneage† et a novo Castello Joan de Borde.‡

Sponte discessit Joannes Tourner alumnus die 4to Septembris.

Item eadem die discessit Joannes Cornish e Rhetorica.

Accessit mense Julio Eduardus Markham.§

Reversus est ad Collegium R.D. Joannes Gough.

Die 23 Juramentum alumnorum praestitit Hugo Kendall.

Natus est serenissimus Delphinus Galliae.||

Octob. 1729.

[p. 158] Sabbato die 1 mensis Ex. D. Praeses convocavit omnes in aulam majorem Collegii et ibidem habuit prolixam orationem imo ad Philosophos deinde ad Rhaetores et ad studiosos singularum classium literarum humaniorum, omnes admonens inter alia de necessitate Linguae graecae, de usu latini sermonis, de communi defectu male scribendi et characteres efformandi, de turpi vicio quo plurimi perperam et falso scribunt voces Anglicani sermonis, et cum dedecore ignorant propriam matrem et vernaculam linguam.

Die 3 discessit [*blank*] Dolman ob malā valetudinem etc.

Die 5 Jussu perillustris Dni Melian Regis in Provincia Gallo-Belgicā supremi Administratoris [*in margin* Vulgo Intendant] convocatus fuit coetus doctorum Sacrae Facultatis Theologicae in domo et seminario B.M.V. uti habitabat Rector magnificus Ex. D. Amand Praepositus Ecclesiae S. Petri ubi etiam jussu Praedicti Dni Melian etc. interfuere Praeses hujus Colleg. D. Witham et D. Mercier Regens Collegii S. Vedasti in Urbe et Universitate hac Duacensi. Jussu Regis D. Melian mandavit sibi in manus tradi Registrum Sacrae Facultatis Theologicae, responderunt doctores se non habere Registrum in quo saltem scriptus fuerat actus Appellationis quem fecerant mense Aug. proxime elapso. Oblatus tandem fuit liber cui titulus Registrum Facul. Theolog. sed nulla

Elizabeth Butler, and both became priests. Robert was born 31 March, 1714, left Douay in 1738 to study at St. Gregory's, Paris, where he was ordained in 1744. He became B.D. but ill health prevented his proceeding to the doctorate and he became missionary at Singleton and afterwards Manchester where he died 17 August 1752. Thomas was ordained at Douay in 1740, and remained there till his death on 11 Sept. 1748 (N.S.).

§ Son of John Harrison of Lea, Lancashire, yeoman, and Elizabeth, daughter of Christopher and Margaret Walmsley. He was priest at Cottam and resisted the mob which burned his chapel and house in 1745 though powerless to save them. He was subsequently chaplain to the Townleys of Towneley for thirty years and then retired and died at Preston 1780.

\* Son of Bernard Howard of Norfolk and Ann dau. of Christopher Lord Teynham. Brother of Thomas and Henry mentioned before. Born in 1717. After leaving Douay he studied at St. Gregory's Paris, where he was ordained and took his Doctorate. Superior there 1755-1782. Died at St. Omer's 28 Feb., 1792 (See C.R.S. xix 132).

† John Windsor Heneage and his brother Francis were the fifth and sixth sons of George Heneage of Hainton, Lincs., Esq., and Elizabeth dau. of Sir Henry Hunloke. Windsor was born 10 Oct. 1715, died 19 Feb. 1786; Francis was born 6 May, 1717.

‡ Born 1715; ordained 1739, died 1775. See memoir C.R.S. xv. 152.

§ Probably one of the twelve Markham brothers from Ollerton, Notts.

|| Louis the Dauphin, son of Louis xv and Queen Marie Leczinsky. He died during his father's lifetime in 1765.



mentio istius actus Appellationis. De hac omissione fecit, et dictavit, ut loqui solent, processum verbalem D. Melian quem mitteret ad Concilium Regis. In actus Appellationis declarabant doctores se appellare *nomine omnium doctorum Sacrae Facultatis Theologicae* quo audito surrexi et petii a Dno Melian ut dignaretur attendere et distinguere inter *strictam* ut loqui solent in hac universitate *facultatem*, et inter doctores *Facultatis latiori sensu*, et protestatus sum, quod neque Ego, neque Exim Dns Challoner unquam consensissemus Actui Appellationis et quod semper docueramus oppositam sententiam in materiâ probabilitatis et propterea ne Curia falleretur per aequivoca illa verba *nomine totius Facultatis*. Scripsi ad D Melian ut dignaretur rem omnem clarè distinguere in Epistola sua ad Consilium Regium. Postea in eodem Coetu autoritate Regis *de par le Roy*, nominati sunt Censores Regii librorum et Thesium in hac Universitate D. Mercier primus Theologiae Professor in Collegio S. Vedasti in Universitate Duacensi et Dnus Witham Doctor in Universitate et *Praeses seminarii Papae*.

Objectiones et querelas quasdam suscitavit D. Delcourt, praesertim contra D. Mercier, quem exitum habere possint, videbitur postea.

October 1729.

[p. 159] Accesserunt die 18 duo fratres Thomas White et Nicolaus White.\*

Die 24 reversus est Robertus Needham et cum eo accessit frater ipsius Joannes Needham† et Thomas Shimel.‡

*Catalogus hujus anni.*

Ex D.R. Witham praeses.

Ex. D. Ric. Challoner Vicepraeses et Theologiae professor.

Erud. D. George Kendal Theolg professor.

D. Franciscus Petre Procurator.

Erud Betts Convictor.

Erud D. Gul. Thornbourg, Praefectus Studiorum et Rhaet. professor Confessarius.

R. D. Joës Cotes Philosophiae professor 2di anni.

D. Georgius Markham Philosophiae professor 1mi anni.

R. D. Thomas Elston Praef. Generalis et Confessarius approbatus.

D. Hawkins Convictor obiit 17 octobris.

R. D. Joes Baptista Gough rediit hoc mense.

11 Seniores.

\* These boys came from St. Malo in Brittany.

† Son of Robert Needham of Hilston and Ann dau. of Edward Pye, and so brother of Robert and Charles. In the pedigree in Sir Joseph Bradney's *History of Monmouthshire*, l. 51 he is styled O.S.F., but he does not seem to have been a member of the English province and there may be some confusion with his cousin Joseph Needham, O.S.F.

‡ Brother of Rev. Charles Shimell. There is some confusion as to his Christian name which is always given in the Diary as Thomas. He was ordained in 1714 and after being General Prefect, became chaplain to Nathaniel Eyre, first at Glossop, then at Croomsall or Crumpsall near Manchester, where he died 23 Aug. 1779. In the *Chapter Obituaries of Secular Priests* (C.R.S. xii 14.) he is called Thomas, but in the *Obituary of the Laity's Directory* he is given as John. Oliver calls him John, but Kirk (*Biographies*, 1909, p. 209) enters him as Thomas.

*Professores. 4.*

Rhetoricae per discessum D. Typper Erud D. Thornbourg.

R. D. Joan Butler Poeseos.

R. D. Georg. Worthington Syntaxeos.

D. Andreas Johnson Grammaticae.

R. D. Joan Wilkinson rudimentorum.

*Theologi 12.*

Dnus Aschough . . . . obiit die 13 Aprilis.

D. Hassal.

D. Roydon.

D. Foster.

D. Green alumnus a die 6 Jan.

Dnus More.

Dnus Hankins.

Dnus Kitchin.

Mr. Chester accessit 29 Martii discessit 26 Julii.

Mag. Geogius Vavasour.

D. Gulielm Maire reversus die 10 7bris.

Mr. Hesket discessit feb 19.

*Phi. 2di anni 4.*

Jo. Samuel (Tournier) discessit 4 Spbris alumnus.

Rob. Markam alumnus.

Thomas Atherton.

Georg. Henr. Heddon.

*Philosop 1mi anni 7.*

Albanus Butler alumnus.

Turberv. Needham discessit die 31 Maii.

Christoph Gradell alumnus.

Bened Conquest discessit die 10 Octob.

Jacobus Williamson.

Georgius Bordley alumnus.

Hen. Heneage discessit die 10 Octobris.

*Rhaetores 7.*

Hugo Kendall alumnus a die Edoardus Clayton.

20 Julii.

Edw. Daniel alumnus.

Gulielmus Berington.

Joannes Pots.

Gualterus Green.

Edoardus Markham.

[p. 160] *Postae. Rhaetores In fest Remig 13 [sic].\**

Ricardus Kendall.

Albertus Dunn.

Thomas Blasdale.

Joan. Chester.

Joan. Haughton (Dalton).

Jacobus Smith.

Josephus Brown.

Gulielm Grimbaldston.

Arthurus Leak.

Jacobus Blundel.

Henricus Witham.

Joseph Syre.

\* Owing to the difficulty of supplying Mr. Pinkhard's place as professor of "Rhetoric" there was a general promotion (at least so far as the names of the classes were concerned) on 1 Oct., the feast of St. Remigius, on which day the scholastic year began. Thus from that date in 1729 there were only four classes, and there were no boys in "Rudiments" until 1 October, 1730.



Georgius Witham. [Thomas] Nugent.

Georg. Bradshaw.

*Syntariani in fest Remg Poetae, 12 [sic].*

Thom. Petre.

Joan. Heneage.

Gulielmus Jenison.

Henricus Maire.

Henricus Howard.

Thomas Clark.

Thomas Howard.

Georg Hardwick.

Nicol Tournier.

Joseph Barnes.

Joan. Roberts.

Daniel Winter.

Franc. Needham.

*Grammatici in fest Rem Synt. 9.*

Ricard Gant.

Joan. Sheppherd.

Josep Sanchez discess. 4 7bris.

Hugo Roberts.

Jacobus Sanchez.

Jacobus Wareham.

Rob. Haughton (Dalton).

Thom. Nevil.

Gulielm Anderton.

*In rudim in fest R. Gram.*

Thom. Aston.

Bernardus Walsh.

Joan. Busby.

Jacobus Roch.

Thom. Parry.

Edmund Blundell.

Anton Jefferson.

Thomas Perkinson (Golden).

Rob. Needham.

James Perkinson.

Carolus Needham.

John Harrison.

Rob. Heneage.

Rob. Butler (Worsic).

Jacob. Whalley.

Thomas Butler (Worsick).

Pet. Waring.

Windsor Heneage.

Joan Fran. Cammock.

Franc Heneage.

Gulielm Steel.

Charles Howard.

Joan. Horniold.

John de Bord.

Samuel Walker.

Thomas White.

Gulielm<sup>s</sup> Towneley.

Nicolas White.

Philip. Vavasour.

John Needham.

Petrus Lampton.

Thomas Shimel.

Omnino 113.

famuli 10.

Obiit in hoc Colleg. Mr. Pomfrait hic Hawkins 17 Octobris convictor per annum.

die 10 Octob discessit hic, cum D. Brown, Benedictus Conquest.

Cum illo discessit Henricus Heneage.

*Novembr.—10br.*

[p. 161] Discesserunt Josephus et Jacobus Sanchez Hispani die 4 hujus mensis.

Obiit R.D. Joannes Francis Confessarius Monialium Anglarum ordinis S. Clarae per annos circiter 20.

Die 14 Decembris discessit Jacobus Blundell (Butler).

Eodem die discessit Thomas Lewson.

[The rest of the page blank].

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Anno, 1730.

January, Feb., March.

Die 6to Jan. juramentum alumnorum praestitit Jo. Chester.

Die 22 Februarii discessit Thomas Garter e rudimentis.

Die 14 Febr. discessit R. Erud. Dn. Joannes Betts Sac. Theolog. Licentiatu Convictor.

Januarii 23 discessit Josephus Syer e Rhetorica.

Die 6 Martii discessit Thom Hodshon e Rhetorica.

April 1730.

Carolus Shmel discessit die 18 April.

Eadem die accessit Joan. Seton.\*

Die 29 Aprilis accessit nobilis D. Thomas Aston† filius 2dus Illustmi et noblssmi Vicecomitis Aston et [Mariae] Howard sororis ducis de Norfolk.

Maii 1730.

[blank].

June 1730.

Die 11 Junii Sabbato 4 Temporum infra Pentecosten ad ordines promoti sunt Atrebatii ab Illust. et Rdsmo Dno Baglion de la Sall.

Ad Tonsuram et minores ordines et Subdiaconatum Rob. Markham, Thomas Atherton. Ad diaconatum D. Gulielmus Maire et D. Gulielm. Green.

Ad sacrum presbyteratus ordinem R.D. Gulielmus Hassal et D. Thomas Roydon.

Die 16 in Solemnitate Corporis Christi primitias suas D.O.M. consecrarunt mane R. Adm. Thom Roydon et hora 10ma solemniter R. adm. Gulielmus Hassal.

Accessit die 12 Junii Thomas Daniel‡ Lancastriensis.

Eodem die reversi sunt Tuberv. Needham, Joan. Cornish.

[p. 163] Discesserunt Jacob\* Williamson vere Congolton et Thomas Blasdale die 25.

Die 10 Junii habitae sunt disputationes Logicae praeside D.D. Markham, mane respondentibus Hugone Kendal et Edoardo Markham. A meridie Joan. Potts, Edvardus Daniel.

Die 12 Convivium omnibus in Refectorio pro festo S. Roberti dedit Ex D. Praeses, invitatis duobus superioribus Bened. Anglorum, duobus Franciscanis et duobus de Collegio Scotorum.

Discessit Albertus Dun Dunelmensis Rhaetor die 5to hujus mensis.

Accesserunt die 25 [Edoardus] Ball hic Worthington§ et reversus est

\* John Howorth alias Seton was the son of John Howorth and Rebecca Boomer, Lichfield diocese. Born 19 Nov. 1707, ordained 1740, he became chaplain to Lord Petre at Thorndon Hall, Essex, where he died 16 Dec. 1771.

† Second son of Walter, 4th Baron Aston of Forfar, of Tixall Staffs., and Standon Lordship, Herts., and Mary dau. of Lord Thomas Howard.

‡ Third son of John Daniel of Whittington and Durton, Lancs., and brother of the Revv. Edward and William Daniel. He was ordained priest 1739. He was missionary at York, Vicar General to Bishop Petre and a Capitular. He died at York 25 Aug. 1770.

§ Son of Robert Ball of Scale Hall, near Lancaster and Winifrid dau. of ..... Taylor of Park Hall, Quernmore, whose other sons Robert and John became priests. After ordination in 1741 he remained at Douay as professor till 1747, he was then at



Ricardus Butler Worsick et duo ipsius fratres Thomas et Robertus Butler Worsick.

Cum illis nos invisit R.D. [*Christopher*] Piggot\* insignis missionarius Londini.

Die 14to Accesserunt Joannes Bamber† et Henricus Jump‡ ex agro Lancastriensi.

*July, 1730.*

Habita sunt disputationes in universam Philosophiam praeside R.D. Joanne Cotes, respondentibus Albano Butler, Georgio Bordley et Christophoro Gradell alumnis.

Habita sunt etiam disputationes in Universam Theologiam praeside Erud. D. Georgio Kendall, respondentibus D. Gulielmo Maire et R.D. Gulielmo Hassal.

Reversus est die 11 Ricardus Kendal alumnus et cum eo venit ad Collegium Thomas Grimbaldston§ Lancastriensis.

Die 16 Accesserunt ad Collegium Gulielmus Cottam et Joannes Cottam ex comitatu Lancastriensi.

Die 24 discessit Thomas Aston (Ireland).

Die 29 In Anglicanam missionem profectus est R.D. Joan Cotes qui cursum philosophicum et literas humaniores docuerat.

*August 1730.*

Die 6to profectus est dunkercam ut esset Confessarius monialium Anglarum ordinis Stae Clarae R.D. Thomas Winckley hic Elston qui fuerat hic Praefectus generalis fere per tres annos.

Habita sunt Disputationes Theologicae Praeside Erud. D. Georgio Kendal, respondentibus Gul. Foster, Gul. Green, Thomas Atherton, Ed: Kitchin, Georgius Vavasour, R.D. Thom Roydon.

[p. 164] Die 18 Augusti in missionem Anglicanam Londinum profectus est Exim. D. Ricardus Challoner hic Willard Sac. Theol. Doctor et professor per 10 annos qui Literas humaniores et Philosophiam per 5 annos docuerat, Confessarius studiorum, vir in omni scientiarū genere versatissimus, insigni pietate praeditus, zelo animarum et charitate erga Deum et proximum accensus etc.

Ad collegium reversus est die 1 mensis Albertus Dun.

die 15 ad collegium accessit Jacobus Hudson.

Die 2da accessit ad Colleg. Josephus Sale natione Hibernus [*sic*] ex Hispania.

various missions in Yorkshire, Lancashire and Staffordshire, was chaplain to the Sardinian Embassy 1773-4 and then went as professor to St. Omer's, where he died 16 Feb. 1789.

\* Ordained at Rome 1697; died at Islington 1735.

† Born in Lancashire 1713. After ordination in 1740 he became chaplain to the Salkeld family in Cumberland till they were extinct. Then he was an "itinerant priest" serving various congregations; missionary at Durham 1745-1769, when he went to Sunderland where he died 24 Aug. 1780.

‡ One of the Jumps of Hesketh-cum-Becconsall. Born 1 Aug. 1712, left Douay through ill-health, afterwards joined the Carthusians and died Prior of Sheen Anglorum at Nieuport 1774.

§ Thomas Emir Grimbaldston, known generally by his second name, was a younger son of Emir Grimbaldston, steward to Ralph Standish of Standish Hall, and Alice his wife. After ordination in 1743 he was chaplain first at Lytham Hall and then at Birchlev Hall where he died 8 April 1786.

Die 15 accesserunt Josephus Walmsley Lancastriensis et Gulielmus Langdale Eboracensis.

Discessit Gulielmus Berington Philosophus Lovanium.

Hoc mense Constitutus est praefectus Generalis R.D. Gulielmus Hassal.

Die 20 constitutus est a Dno Praeside Vicepraeses hujus collegii R.D. Franciscus Petre antea Procurator per annos circiter septem, qui literas humaniores docuerat. Confessarius per totidem annos etc.

Hoc anno amisimus et iterum emere coacti sumus minorem hortum cum tribus domibus.

Circa idem tempus recepimus quam per testamentum reliquerat nobis nob. D. Daniel Bernard Londinensis summam argenti fere quadringentas libras monetae Anglicanae.

Hoc mense dono dedit nobis R. et nobilissimus Dnus Joanes Savage, Comes de Rivers seu Ripariis mille florenos Belgicos.

Die ultimo ad Colleg. reversus est praenobilis D. Bernardus Howard filius Bern. Howard de Norfolk et [*Mariae*] Roper de Tenham proximo anno theologicis studiis operam daturus.

*Sepbr.*

Discessit nob. D. Eduardus Hawkins 2<sup>ds</sup> filius Thom Hawkins Armigeri de Nash in comitatu Cantii post absolutum primum Philosophiae annum.

Discessit nob. Thomas Scarisbrick ex Syntaxi Lancastriensis.

Die 20 Discessit Gualterius Green Salopiensis absoluto primo philosophiae anno Lovanium ut medicinae studio operam daret.

Obiit unus ex famulis nostris Paulus.

*Sepbr et Octbr 1730.*

[p. 165] Accesserunt circa 20<sup>ma</sup> diem Sepbris duo juvenes Joannes Bennet et Carolus Cabri.

Clam aufugiit e collegio in habitu saeculari die 23 Sepbris Samuel Walker Londinensis.

Discessit Ipras R.D. Joan. Gough sacerdos qui hic manserat per decennium.

Reversus est ad Collegium Albertus Dun philosophus primo anni die 1 Augusti.

Discessit Joan. Dalton Haughton die 21 7bris.

Discessit Joan. Cornish die 12 Sepbris.

Discessit Thomas Nevil vere Scarisbrick die 26 Sepbris.

Discessit 8br. 21 Jacobus Smith vere Bishop filius Equitis aurati Cecil Bishop.

*Octob.*

*Catalogus Collegii.*

*Seniores 7.*

Ex D. R. Witham Praeses.

R. D. Franciscus Petre Vicepraeses Procurator et Confessarius.

Erud. D. Georg. Kendal Theologiae professor et Confessarius.

Erud. D. Gulielmus Thornburge Theologiae professor praefectus Studiorum et Confessarius.



D. Georgius Markham Philosophiae Professor.  
 R. D. Gulielmus Hassel Praefectus Generalis.  
 R. D. Joannes Butler (Couban) Philosophiae prof.

*Professores.*

R. D. Gulielmus Maire Rhaetoricae.  
 R. D. Georgius Worthington Poeseos.  
 R. D. Jo. Wilkinson Syntaxeos.  
 D. Andreas Weight Grammat.  
 D. Albanus Butler Rudimentorum.

*Theologi 12.*

R. D. Thomas Roydon.	D. Joan. Hankins.
D. Gulielmus Foster.	D. Geor. Vavasour.
D. Gulielmus Green.	D. Geor. Heddon.
D. Joan. More.	D. Geor. Bordley.
D. Thom. Atherton.	D. Christop. Gradell.
D. Ed. Kitchin.	D. Bernardus Howard.

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*Philosophi 2di anni 5.*

Joan. Potts.	Eduardus Daniel.
Turbervillius Needham.	Ed: Markham.
Hugo Kendal.	Ed. Clayton discessit die 23
Gualterus Green discessit 27	Sepbris.
7bris.	

*Philosophi primi anni 13.*

Ricard. Kendall.	Thomas Petre.
Henricus Witham.	Ricardus Butler.
Georgius Witham.	Joan. Chester.
Josephus Brown.	Gulielmus Grimbalston.
Joan. Cornish discessit die 19	Jacobus Smith (Bishop).
7bris.	Joan. Haughton discessit die 20
Albertus Dun.	7bris.
Arthurus Lake.	[Joseph] Lille.
Georgius Bradshaw (Gibson).	

*Rhetores 13.*

Gulielm. Jenison.	Joan. Heneage.
Henricus Howard.	Georgius Hardwick.
Thomas Howard.	Josephus Barns.
Joannes Roberts.	Daniel Winter.
Nicol. Tournier.	Thomas Clark.
Franciscus Needham.	Antonius Bellasis.
Henricus Maire.	

*Poetae. 7.*

Ricardus Gaunt.	Joan. Shepherd.
Robertus Dalton hic Haughton.	Hugo Roberts.
Francis. Anderton.	Jacobus Hudson.
Thomas Scarisbrick (Nevil)	Jacobus Wareham.
discessit 27 7bris.	

*Syntaxiani 10.*

Joan. Horniold.	Rob. Needham.
Jacobus Whalley.	Carolus Needham.

Thomas Parry.	Gulielmus Towneley.
Josephus Sale.	Gulielmus Steel.
Joan. Busby.	Anton. Jefferson.
Rob. Heneage.	

*Grammatici 11.*

Philip Vavasour.	Thomas White.
Petrus Waring.	Joan. Bamber.
Joan. Cammock.	Henricus Jump.
Joan. de Bord.	[blank] Busby.
Samuel Walker discessit die 23. 7bris.	Thomas White.

*In Rudimentis 24.*

Thom. Grimalston.	Jacobus Cottam.
Gulielmus Cottam.	Thom. Golden (Cottam).
Edoardus Worthington.	Carolus Howard.
Joannes Cottam.	Joan. Needham.
Josephus Walmesley.	Joan. Harrison.
Joan. Seton.	Edmundus Blundell (Butler).
Thomas Daniel.	Bernardus Walsh.
Petrus Lampton (Burrel).	Jacobus Roch.
Windsor Heneage.	Thom. Shimel.
Franciscus Heneage.	Nicholaus White.
Rob. Butler (Worsick).	Thomas Aston.
Thomas Butler (Worsick).	Gulielms Langdale.

Omnes 107 praeter famulos.

[p. 167]. Accesserunt mense 7bris Joan. Bennet et Carolus Cabri Londinensis.\*

Accessit Joan. Chaumont hic Skipwith ad logicam.

Accessit Michal. Mourrhout† ad Rudimenta ex hispania.

*Novemb: 1730.*

Juramentum alumnorum praestitit Jacobus Hodson‡ Poeta die 4 Novembris dioecesis de Norfolk natus 18 martii an 1709 stylo veteri.

Abiit in Angliam valetudinis recuperandae causa D. Rob. Markham Subdiaconus.

*December 1730.*

Die 8. in festo Conceptionis immaculatae B.V.M. juramentum alumnorum praestitit Gulielmus Grimalston natus die 13 Julii an 1708, Philosophus primi anni.

Sabbato 4 Temporum ad ordines promoti sunt Tornaci ab Illustmo Episcopo O'Daily de Fennebore§ ad Tonsuram minores ordines et Subdiaconatum M. Georgius Vavasour, M. Georgius Heddon, M. Georgius Bordley et M. Christophorus Gradel.

Ad Diaconatum D. Joan. More, D. Thom. Atherton, D. Edoardus Kitchin et D. Joan. Hankins.

\* This entry had already been made under date September 20.

† His name appears later in the diary as Morrogh.

‡ Ordained 1736; died in Norfolk 18 July, 1750.

§ James O'Daly O.S.A., Bishop of Kilmacduagh and Kilfenora, died 1750. See W. Maziere Brady, *Episcopal Succession*, ii, 127, 167.



Ad presbyteratum D. Gulielmus Maire, D. Gulielm<sup>s</sup> Foster, et D. Gulielmus Green.

In die Nativitatis D.N.I.C. primitias suas Deo obtulerunt.

Die 4 Decemb. iuramentum alumnorum praestiterunt Iosephus Sall cum dispensatione ab Em. Card Protectore, Hibernus, dioecesis Waterfordiensis natus die 1 martii an 1703\* In Syntaxi et. Joannes Horniold dioecesis Vigorniensis natus die 19 Feb. an 1706 In Syntaxi. [p. 168].

Anno Dni. 1731.

Mens. Januar. Feb. Mart.

Die 18 discessit Joan. Sheperd ex poesi.

Accesserunt die 28 Februarii Thomas Helms, Gulielmus Daniel.†

Die 25 Martii accessit Joan. Banister vere Waring‡ nuper ad fidem Catholicam conversus; studet rudimentis.

die 31 discessit e rudimentis Carolus Cabri.

Accessit huc a Franciscanis R. D. Jacobus Rigby§ Sacerdos Theolog 2di anni ordinatus presbyter in Coll. Angl. Rome.

April, May.

Obiit omnibus Ecclesiae sacramentis rite susceptis D. Joan. Chester alumnus Philosophus primi anni.

Discessit die 11 Aprilis Daniel Winter e Rhetorica.

Hoc mense nos invisere dignatus est et hospitari in hoc Collegio per tres dies Nobilissimus Thomas Howard Norfolciae Dux et primus totius Angliae Dux, qui quondam studuerat in hoc ipso Collegio.

Die 2 maii hinc discessit Franc. Needham e Rhetorica.

Die 7 maii primam disputationem ad doctoratum cum magno omnium applausu habuit Erud. D. Georgius Kendall S. Theol. Licent. et Professor.

Die 9 Habuit similiter 2dam disputationem. Et die 11 seu feria 6ta 3tiam disputationem.

Die 10 discessit Insulas, ut ibi per aliquot tempus maneret, Georgius Witham Philos. primi anni.

Laurea doctorali insigniti sunt Ex. D. Georgius Kendall et Exim D. Gulielmus Thornborough.

Accessit die 21 Maii e Lancastria Hugo Edmondson.||

Jun. July 1731.

Disputationes Logicae habitae sunt, Praeside R. D. Joanne Butler, mane:—

\* 14 written over the date 1703. But the *First Douay Diary* p. 60 gives his birth as 1703. It is strange that a man of 27 should be among the boys in the class of Syntax. But his companion John Hornyhold, the future bishop, in the same class was himself over 24, having entered the school of "Rudiments" at the age of 22. It is difficult to explain this belated schooling in his case, since he belonged to a county family of such high standing.

† Son of John Daniel of Durton, Lancs. Born 1713, ordained 1741, died 1761. See C.R.S. viii 345.

‡ In a later entry "vere Warham."

§ Son of John Rigby and Anne Spence. Born in Lancashire 15 Feb. 1705, entered English College, Rome, 27 June 1724, ordained priest 22 Jan. 1730 and went to Douay to join the Franciscans. Leaving them he returned to the secular clergy and died at Claxby, Lincs., 18 Oct. 1751.

|| Kirk thinks he was one of the Edmondson family of Broughton. He was ordained in 1743 and died in Lancashire 19 Sept. 1755.

Ricardus Butler.

Jacobus Brown.

Henricus Witham

Arthurus Leak.

Ricardus Kendall.

Georgius Gibson hic Bradshaw.

Albertus Dun.

Discessit Ulyssiponem in Portugalia die 27 Junii D. Edoardus Kitchin diaconus rogatu Fratrum nostrorum Praesidis et superiorum Collegii Ulyssiponensis.

*July 1731.*

[p. 169]. Habita sunt mense Julii disputationes Theologicae, Praeside Exim D. Gulielmo Thornbourge.

die [blank] D. Thomas Atherton diaconus, Georg Vavasour, sub diaconus.

die [blank] D. Christophorus Gradell D. [blank]: die [blank] M. Bernardus Howard. D. Guliel. Green hic [Scot] cum summo omnium applausu.

Habita sunt disputationes Universae Philosophiae Latine et Graece Praeside D. D. Georgio Markham:

mane Joan. Pots; a meridie Edoardus Daniel alumnus; mane Hugo Kendall, a meridie Turberville Needham.

die [blank] Habita disputationes Universae Theologiae propugnatore R. D. Thom. Roydon, Praeside Exim. Dno et Magistro D. Georg. Kendall.

Accessit die 9 Julii Gulielmus Peg\* comitatus Darbiensis ad Poesim.

Accesserunt duo juvenes ex agro Dunelmensi imo die Julii Georgius Trotter et Georgius White† (hic Danson) ad Rudimenta.

Accessit ex cœnobio Bend. Anglorum Duaci die 31 Julii Stephanus Langley.

Discessit die 12 Julii e Grammatica Joannes Seton.

Mense Junii per aliquot hebdomadas nos inviserunt nob. D. Benjam. Conquest‡ cum Tutore suo R. D. Jacobus Brown.

*Aug. 1731.*

Discessit e dialectica die 6 Augusti nob. juvenis Antonius Bellasis filius 2d nob. Rolandi Bellasis.

Discessit die 13 Nicholaus Tournier e Dialecticâ.

Discessit die 18 Albertus Dun Silvertop.

Reversus est Joannes Seton.

Accessit Edoardus Fornby ad Grammaticam.

*Sept. 1731.*

[p. 170] Missus in Angliam cum facultatibus ordinariis approbandis ab Episcopo ipsi in Anglia pro tempore proposito D. Georgius Ball hic Worthington e comitatu Lancastriensi Cum eo in Angliam discessit Franciscus Anderton e Lancastria die 11ma.

Accessit Josephus Murray filius Gubernatoris Tornaci Cum illo nos

\* Probably one of the Pegges of Yeldersley, Derbyshire. An earlier William Pegge had been educated at Douay seventy years before, was a distinguished secular priest and died in 1711. See C.R.S. xi 527.

† He left Douay for St. George's, Paris, in 1737, and after four years there, returned to England, apostatised and took orders in the Church of England.

‡ "Benjam" is probably an error for "Benedict."



inviserunt R. D. Lee, Prior et D. Long, Procurator Carthusianorum Anglorum Neoporti.

Discessit in Angliam vocatus a matre ob negotia familiae Henricus Witham de Cliff die 13.

Eodem die discessit idem post primum Philosophiae annum Georgius Gibson hic Bradshaw.

Accesserunt Henricus hic Edoardus Howard de Graystock et frater natu minor Carolus hic Philippus Howard.\*

Ad sacrum presbyteratus ordinem Ipris Sabbato 4 Temporum promoti sunt R. D. Joannes More ex agro Lancastriensi et R. D. Joan. Hankin ex novo Castello e Northumbria.

Discessit 19 Sepbris Ricardus Worsuch hic Butler e Logica.

Discessit die 17 Sepbris Edoardus Markam.

Item frater ipsius D. Georgius Markham qui hic docuerat cursum Philosophiae postquam 4 annos theologiae absolvisset, et literas humaniores per aliquot annos docuerat.

*Octob. 1731.*

Accessit Gulielmus Walton† dioecesis Cestriensis ex Lancastria cum Dno Jacobo Brown.

Accessit die 4ta Octobris Josephus Smith vere Salvin.

Accesserunt die 9 Michael Kirwan et frater natu minor Matthaeus Kirwan ex parentibus Hibernis nati in Hispania. Hic ad Gramaticam ille ad Rudimenta.

Die 5 Parisios ad Seminarium S. Maglauri profectus est R. D. Gulielmus Maire de Lartington.

Discessit in Angliam Joannes Pots absoluta Philosophia e comitatu Northumbriae.

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*Catalogus omnium in Collegio.*

*Mense 8bris an. 1731.*

*Seniores 8.*

Ex D. R. Witham Praeses.

R. D. Franciscus Petre Vicepraeses et Procurator et Confessarius.

Exim. D. Georg. Kendall Sac Theologiae Doctor et Professor et Confessarius.

Exim. D. Gulielmus Thornburge Sac. Theol. Doctor et Professor, Studiorum Praefectus et Confessarius.

R. D. Jacobus Brown Confessarius ordinarius et musaei Praefectus etc.

R. D. Gulielmus Hassal Philosophiae Professor.

R. D. Joannes Butler Philosophiae Professor.

R. D. Gulielmus Foster Praefectus generalis.

\* Son of Charles Howard of Greystock and Mary dau. of John Aylward, Esq. Henry died at Douay 17 April, 1733. Charles succeeded as 10th Duke of Norfolk in 1777, married Katherine dau. of John Brockholes of Cloughton, Lancs. They were probably called Edward and Philip at Douay to distinguish them from Henry and Charles Howard, sons of Bernard, already students there.

† The future Bishop of Trachonitis, V.A. Northern District 1770-1780. See Brady *Annals Cath. Hier.* 264; Kirk, *Biog. Eng. Caths.* 243.

*Professores 5.*

R. D. Joan Wilkinson Poeseos Professor.  
 R. D. Thomas Roydon Rhaetoricae Professor.  
 D. Andreas Waite Syntaxeos.  
 R. D. Joannes Hankin Grammaticae.  
 M. Hugo Kendal Rudimentorum.

*Theologi 12.*

R. D Jacobus Rigby.  
 R. D. Gulielmus Green.  
 D. Atherton diaconus.  
 D. Georgius Vavasour Subdiac.  
 D. Georg. Henricus Hedden Subdiac.  
 D. Georgius Bordley Subdiac.  
 D. Christophorus Gradell Subdiaconus.  
 Mr. Bernardus Howard.  
 Mr. Albanus Butler.  
 Mr. Edoardus Daniel.  
 Mr. Turbervillus Needham.  
 Mr. Josephus Lille.

*Philosop. 1. Anni 5*

Ricardus Kendall alumnus. Gulielmus Grimbalston  
 Josephus Brown. alumnus.  
 Arthurus Leak. Joan. Skipwith vere Chaumont.

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*Philosophi 2di. Anni 12.*

Thomas Petre. Joannes Heneage.  
 Gulielm. Jenison. Henricus Maire.  
 Henricus Howard. Thomas Clark.  
 Thomas Howard. Georgius Hardwick.  
 Joannes Roberts. Josephus Barnes.  
 Hugo Roberts. Thomas Bleasdal.

*Rhaetores. 5.*

Ricardus Gant. Robertus Holland (Dalton).  
 Jacobus Hodson. Josephus Sall.  
 Jacobus Warham. Joannes Hornyold.

*Poetae. 11.*

Gulielmus Steel. Thomas Parry.  
 Robertus Needham. Rob. Heneage.  
 Jacobus Whalley. Joannes Busby.  
 Gulielmus Pegg. Antonius Jefferson.  
 Carolus Needham. Gulielmus Towneley.  
 Stephanus Langley.

*In Syntaxi 12.*

Joannes Debord. Thomas Grimbalston.  
 Thom. Daniel. Henricus Jump.  
 Thomas White. Joannes Bamber.  
 Philippus Vavasour. Petrus Wearing.  
 Gulielmus Walton. Joan. Seaton.  
 Robertus Butler. Jacobus Cammock.



*In Grammatica. 14.*

Jacobus Cottam.	Gulielmus Cottam.
Carolus Howard.	Edoardus Fornby.
Thomas Shimmel.	Petrus Lampton.
Thomas Golden.	Edm. Blundell.
Jacobus Windsor Heneage.	Edoardus Howard.
Mathaeus Kirwan.	Joan. Needham.
Joannes Bennet.	Thomas Butler.

*In 1 Classe Rudimentoru 9*

Edoardus Worthington.	Franciscus Heneage.
Nicholaus White.	Joannes Cottam.
Georgius Danson.	Joannes Harrison.
Josephus Walmesley.	Thomas Aston.
Jacobus Roch.	

*[p. 173]. In 2 Classe Rudimentorum. 6*

Thomas Elms.	Joan. Banister.
Georgius Trotter.	Gulielmus Daniel.
Gulielmus Langdale.	Gregorius Welsh.

*In 3 Classe Rudimentorum. 6.*

Philippus Carol. Howard.	Josephus Murray.
Hugo Edmondson.	Michael Kirwan.
Josephus Smith (Salvin).	Michael Morrogh.

Numerus in Collegio 106 praeter 7 famulos.

*Novemb. 1731*

Die 3 novbris Juramentum alumnorum praestiterunt Turbervill Needham Londinensis et Ricard<sup>s</sup> Gant Lancastriensis.

In missionem Anglicanam die 13 profectus est R. Dnus Joan. Moor dioec. Cestriensis.

*Decemb. 1731.*

Die 8 festo Conceptionis immaculae B. V. Mariae juramentum alumnorum praestitit Arthurus Stonor hic Leak Philosophus 2d anni bonae spei adolescens.

In vigilia Nativitatis D. N. J. C. juramentum praestiterunt D. Bernardus Howard filius Bernardi Howard de Norfolcia, Henricus Jump, Joannes Bamberg, Jacobus Whalley, hi tres ex agro Lancastriensi et dioecesis Cestriensis.

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*Anno. 1732.*

*Januar.*

Die 21 hujus mensis R. D. Manley Praeses Collegii Anglorum Ulyssiponensis enixe postulaverat a Praeside et Vicepraeside hujus Collegii ut mitterent unum ex Professoribus hujus Collegii, qui Theologiam doceret et in se susciperet officium vicepraesidis Collegii Anglorum Ulyssipone quod olim suppletum fuerat alumnis ex hoc Collegio Duacensi et jam indigebat quam maxime idoneis magistris. Consensimus, licet non absque maximis incommodis ut R. D. Gulielmus Hassal modo vellet consentire, ad idem mitteretur Collegium. Illa igitur intentione hinc discessit primo in Angliam et postea ad dictum Collegium, magnum hic relinquens sui desiderium postquam obiisset per annum officium Praefecti Generalis cum laude et omnium approbatione et jam inchoasset cursum Philosophicum.

Illius vices supplerunt partim Eximius D. Georgius Kendall, frequentando classem logicorum et partim R. D. Gulielmus Green donec defenderet universam Theologiam, et postea Professoris munus in se susciperet.

Tota hac hieme Rheumatismi poenis laborabat Eximius D. Praeses.

*February 1732.*

Die 7 hujus mensis sponte aufugit e Collegio Michael Kirwan natus in Hispania apud Castellum (fort) S. Mariae.

*Mar. 1732.*

Sabbato quatuor Temporū die Martii 1 Atrebatī ab Illustrissimo Et Reverendissimo Fran. Baglion de la Sall ordinati sunt: Ad Tonsuram et minores ordines nobilissimus Dnus Bernard<sup>s</sup> Howard filius Bernardi Howard de Norfolcia et Turbervillus Needham. Ad Tonsuram minores ordines et Subdiaconatum Albanus Butler et Edoardus Daniel, Ad diaconatum D. Georgius Henricus Heddon. D. Georgius Bordley et D. Chrisophorus Gradel, ad Sacrum [p. 175] Presbyteratus ordinem D. Thomas Atherton.

Idem R. adm D. Thomas Atherton die 12 martii in festo S. Greg. magni primitias suas solemnī modo Deo om [nipotenti] obtulit.

Die 26 discessit in Angliam ex Poesi Gulielmus Pegg.

*April 1732.*

Die 25. accesserunt ad Collegium Ludovicus Morgan ex Wallia ad Rudimenta et Jacobus Slaughter\* ad rudimenta.

*Maii 1732.*

Die 1mo discessit nob. juvenis Gulielmus Towneley Parisiis e Poesi.

Die 9 discesserunt duo fratres Hugo et Joannes Bosvill hic Roberts ex Logica et ex Wallia.

Die 27 In Angliam valetudinis recuperandae causa discessit Jacobus Whalley alumnus hujus Collegii e Poesi.

Die 28 mensis accessit puer 13 annorum Georgius Shuttleworth† e Nottinghamia hic Haydock ad Rudimenta.

Juramentum alumnorum in die Ascensionis Dni suscepit Joseph<sup>s</sup> Barnes Carleolensis Philosophus 1mi anni.

*Jun. 1732.*

Die 15 discessit nob. D. Henricus Howard filius Bern. Howard de Norfolcia ex Philosophia.

Disputationes Philosop. Universae habitae sunt, Praeside R. D. Joanne Couban hic Butler.

Die 25 mane respondente Jacobo Brown.

A meridie Ricardus Kendall.

Die 26 mane Arthurus Stonor hic Leak.

\* He belonged to the family of Slaughter of Cheyney's Court, Hereford; was ordained in 1741 and became chaplain at Longford Hall where he died 12 June, 1781. He was elected a Capitulār in 1765.

† Nephew of the Rev. John Shuttleworth being the son of his brother George and Dorothy dau. of William Haydock of Cottam Hall. After ordination in 1744, having inherited a fortune from his grandfather, he bought Hodsock Park, near Worksop, which his family had held on lease from the Mellishes and lived there till his death 11 May, 1791.



Ad collegium accessit puer circiter 14 annorum Joan. Dun\* e civitate Dunelmensi.

[p. 176]. Habitaie sunt disputationes in Logicam, Praeside (ob absentiam Professoris) Exim. D. Georgio Kendal.

Die 27 mane respondentibus Gulielmo Jenison et Henricus Maire; a meridie Thomas Clark et Thomas Blasedal.

Die 28 mane Josephus Barnes, Georg. Hardwick.

Eadem die in Anglicanam missionem profectus est R. D. Jacobus Rigby sacerdos educatus in Coll. Ang. Romae sed qui hic mansit per annum et dimidium.

Duaci fuit per aliquod tempus Rdssimus Matt. Pritchard, Episcopus Myrensis, Vicarius Apostolicus in Wallia etc.

*Jul. 1732.*

Initio hujus mensis profectus est Bruxellis Rev Episcopus Myrensis et cum eo Exim. D. Praeses ad Excell. D. Sylvium Gonzaga Nuntium Apostolicū.

Bruxellis D. Praeses facta resignatione seu dimissione sui officii Praesidis Coll. Angl Duaci dedit exemplar ejusdem resignationis Excellentiae suae Rdssimo dno Silvio Gentili Gonzaga ut illam mittere dignaretur ad Sacram Congreg de Propag. fide, cui dirigitur. In eadem dimissione, cum petitione ut alium nominarent cum consensu Summi Pontificis commendavit etiam Sac. Cong. tres alumnos Collegii Ang. Duacensis tanquam idoneos successores.

Die 12 hujus mensis missus est in vineam Anglicanam R. D. Joannes Couban (hic Butler) Philosophiae per duos annos Professor dioecesis Cestriensis etc.

Disputationes Theologicae de fide Spe Charitate Gratia etc. habitaie sunt, Praeside Exim. Dno Gulielmo Thornburgh Sac. Th.Doc. et Professore; defendente die 30 Junii mane D. Georg Bordley diacono. a meridie D. Christophoro Gradell diacono.

Die 1 Julii mane Albanus Butler Subdiacono; Horis pomeridianis Nob. Dno. Bernardo Howard de Norfolcia Acolytho et alumno.

die 2<sup>o</sup> julii Turbervillo Needam Acolytho; a meridie R. D. Thom. Atherton dioec. Cestriensis.

*Jul. 1732.*

[p. 177] Accesserunt ad Collegium duo juvenes nob. Thomas Howard de Graystock† et Jacobus Sherwood Londinensis ad rudimenta.

Die 18 Julii habitaie sunt disputationes Theologiae universae, praeside exim D. Georgio Kendall, Sac. Theol Doctore et Professore,

defendente die 18 D. Georgio Vavasour Subdiacono et die 19 R. D. Gulielmo Scot hic Green cum summo omnium applausu.

\* Later in the Diary he is said to belong to Chester diocese. After ordination in 1743 he taught philosophy and theology. Then he was missionary at Croxdale, Durham, chaplain at Burton Constable and finally he became treasurer to the Chapter and librarian of the Clergy Library at Gray's Inn, London. He was a friend of Bishop Challoner who in 1769 recommended him to Propaganda as suitable to become President of Douay. He died suddenly after saying mass at Lincoln's Inn Fields 14 Jan. 1778.

† Youngest son of Charles Howard of Greystock and Mary, dau. of John Aylward Esq.

Item D. Gulielmus Green declaratus est Professor Philosophorum  
2di anni et successor R. D. Gulielmi Hassal.

die 21 Bruxellis reversus est Ex. D. Praeses.

die 24 Parisiis reversus est R. D. Gulielmus Maire de Lartington ut  
doceat dialecticam et sequenti anno Logicam.

die 21 discessit advocatus a parentibus Gulielms Cottam e Grammatica.

*Aug. 1732.*

discessit die 1ma Augusti Josephus Murray e rudimentis.

die 7 discessit Gulielmus Langdale advocatus a Parentibus e rudimentis.

die 14 juramentum alumnorum praestitit Thomas Clark\* dioecesis  
Lichfieldiensis natus die 10<sup>ma</sup> Novbris anni 1712—Philosophus primi  
anni, bonae spei juvenis, verum nomen Thom Wilson.

Accessit Joan Crainsburge die 14 puer 9 annorū ad Rudimenta.

Nos invisit ex Anglia R. D. Thomas Roydon Sacerdos hujus Collegii  
et missionarius per annos 40, aetatis an 70. Vicarius Generalis in  
Lancastria Westmorlandia etc.

die 19 accessit, seu potius reversus est ad Collegium Thomas Stapylton  
ad mensam seniorum sed ut studiis privatim incumbat.

*7br. 1732.*

[p. 178] Discessit ad Seminarium Parisiense missus a R. D. Radulpho  
Clayton missionario in Anglia Jacobus Wareham Londinensis e dialectica;  
et Thomas Blasedale Lancastriensis absoluta Logica die 22 hujus  
mensis discessit in Angliam.

Accessit die 24 Thomas Cottam.

*Octobr. 1732.*

Die 12 discessit Joannes Heneage Philosophus et cum eo Tutor ipsius  
R. D. Jacobus Brown Praefectus musaei Confessarius etc.

Cum illis Parisios profectus est D. Witham Praeses, missa Romam  
resignatione sui officii.

Invisit nos transiens R. D. Hind alias Wakeman.

Die 24 reversus ad Collegium D. Rob. Markham Subdiaconus.

Die 29 obiit ex morbo varialorum D. Georgius vavasour Subdiaconus,  
Grammaticae Professor qui universam Theologiam propugnauerat  
magnū relinquens apud omnes sui desiderium.

Die 23 accessit ad Rudimenta puer Carolus Tigh.

die 4. dis[cessit] And. Johnson alumnus.

*Catalogus omnium in Collegio.*

*Seniores 8.*

Ex D. R. Witham Praeses.

R. D. Fran. Petre Vicepraeses Procurator Confessarius.

Exim. D. G. Kendall S. Th. doctor et Professor et Confessarius.

Ex. D. Gul. Thornburge S. Th. doctor et Professor Praefectus  
Studiorum et Confessarius.

R. D. Gulielmus Foster Praefectus Generalis.

R. D. Gulielmus Green Philosophiae Professor.

D. D. Gulielmus Maire Philosophiae Professor.

M. Thomas Stapylton Convictor.

\* After ordination in 1738 he was missioner at Hathersage, Derby, till his death,  
12 Dec. 1779. After the rising of 1745 he was imprisoned for a time in York Castle.



*Professores. 7.*

R. D. Joan. Wilkinson Rhetoricae Professor.  
 R. D. Thom. Roydon Poeseos Professor.  
 R. D. Joan. Hankin Syntaxeos Professor.  
 Mag. Arthurus Leak (Stonor) Grammaticae Profess.  
 M. Hugo Kendall Rudimentorum Profess.  
 R. D. Edvard\* Williamson\* Sacerdos Rom. Convictor.  
 R. D. Thomas Atherton musaei Praefectus.

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*Theologi 13.*

D. Georg. Heddon Diac.	Mr. Turberv Needham.
D. Georg. Bordley Diac.	Mr. Joan Tournier.
D. Christop. Gradel Diac.	Mr. Joseph* Lisle.
D. Robertus Markham Subd.	Mr. Ricard* Kendal.
D. Albertus [ <i>sic</i> ] Butler Subd.	Mr. Gulielmus Grimalston.
D. Ed. Daniel Subdiac.	Mr. Joseph Brown.
Mr. Bern. Howard de Norfolkia.	

*Philosophi 2di Anni 7.*

Thomas Petre (obiit ex morbo variolarum 9 Jan. sequentis).  
 Gulielmus Jenison.  
 Thomas Howard de Norfolkia.  
 Henricus Maire de Hartbushes.  
 Thomas Clark.  
 Georgius Hardwick.  
 Josephus Barnes.

*Philosophi 1mi Anni 6*

Ricardus Gant.	Joannes Horniold.
Robertus Holland (Dalton).	Jacobus Hudson.
Josephus Sall.	Robertus Needham.

*Rhetores. 6.*

Thomas Parry.	Anton. Jefferson.
Joan. Busby.	Gulielmus Steel.
Carolus Needham.	Josephus Langley.

*Poetae. 12.*

Petrus Waring.	Thomas Daniel.
Philippus Vavasour de Willitoft.	Thomas Grimalston.
Joan de Borde.	Rob. Butler.
Jacobus Cammock.	Thomas White.
Joannes Bamber.	Joan Seaton.
Henricus Jump.	Gulielmus Walton.

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*Syntaxiani. 13.*

Thomas Golden.	Joan. Bennet.
Jacobus Cottam.	Windsor Heneage.
Thomas Butler.	Eduard* Fornby.
Joan. Needham.	Edward* (Henricus Carolus)
Thomas Shimel.	Howard de Graystock.

\* Rev. Edward Williams (not Williamson) was son of Thomas Williams of Flintshire and Dorothy Glasscock his wife. Born 1707; ordained at Rome 21 Jan. 1731. After a short stay at Douay he became chaplain to Richard Chester, Esq., at Bearscombe in Buckland, Devonshire, where he died 30 Jan. 1776.

Carolus Howard de Norfolk.	Edmundus Blundell (Butler)
Petrus Lampton (Burrel).	Matthaeus Kirwan.

*Grammatici* 13.

Georgius Danson.	Nicol <sup>s</sup> White.
Eduardus Worthington (Ball).	Jacobus Roch.
Francisc <sup>s</sup> Heneage.	Thomas Elms.
Joannes Harrison.	Georgius Trotter.
Joseph <sup>s</sup> Walmsley.	Joseph <sup>s</sup> Smith (Salvin de Crox-
Joan. Cottam.	dale).
Thomas Aston ex Vicecomitibus	Ludovicus Morgan.
de Aston.	

*In Rudimentis.**In prima Classe* 7.

Gulielmus Daniel.	Jacobus Slaughter.
Joan. Banister.	Hugo Edmondson.
Bernard <sup>s</sup> Walsh.	Joan. Dunn.
Philippus (Carolus Howard de	Georgius Merry.
Graystock).	

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*In 2 Classe Rudimentorum.* 8

Michael Murrho.	Joan. Crainisbourgh.
Georgius Haddock.	Thomas Cottam.
Thomas Howard de Graystock.	Carolus Tigh.*
Jacobus Sherwood.	Lucas Pots.

Personae omnino 100.

absq. 9 famulis.

*November.* 1732.

Die 2da accessit Georgius Merry ad rudimenta.

Accessit Lucas Potts† ad rudimenta.

Discesserunt [Edoardus] Williamson Sacerdos Romanus et cum eo  
Rob. Heneage 19 hujus mensis.

Reversus est ad Collegium Joan. Tournier alumnus hujus Collegii die  
2 hujus mensis.

*December* 1732.

Exim. Dns Praeses mansit Parisiis occupatus responsionibus ad  
objectiones Superioris et aliorum de Seminario Parisiensi. Illas omnes  
objectiones et falsas accusationes misit Praeses ad Episcopos Catholicos  
in Anglia ut judices essent harum omnium controversiarum. Enixe  
etiam petebat Superior seminarii Parisiensis ut Praeses cum illo scriberet  
Romam, ut Summus Pontifex revocaret binas prohibitiones quibus  
prohibitus fuerat Praeses Coll. Duac. ne unquam mitteret alumnos  
Pontificios ad alium locum ut discerent vel Philosop. vel Theologiam,  
et ut nunquam permetteret ne quisquam doceret, vel Theologiam, vel  
Philosophiam qui hisce scientiis alibi operam dedisset, vide hoc Diurnale  
an 1719 mense septbri. Recusavit Praeses hujusmodi petitioni sub-

\* In later lists this boy's name is given as Tighe

† Alias Cooper, son of George Potts and Mary Robinson. Born at Throckley near  
Newcastle-on-Tyne 21 Feb. 1717. He was ordained in 1745, arrested the same year  
and tried at York assizes for his priesthood and complicity in the rising. He was  
missioner at Ugthorpe until 1750 when he went to Thropton where he died 16 Aug.  
1787.



scribere, Dicebat praeterea Superior Seminarii Praesidem non esse sufficienti auctoritate stabilitum Provisorem Seminarii quâ de causa de aliorum consilio, noluit exercere officium Provisoris donec suppleretur quod deerat, ut esset certus et indubitatus Provisor. Vide in nostro Scrinio exemplaria Epistolarum circa omnes has difficultates.

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Anno 1733.

Januarii.

Die 9<sup>na</sup> obiit nob. juvenis Thomas Petre de familia Bellhouse ex morbo variolarum 2<sup>di</sup> an: Philosophus.

Die 7 dimissus Stephanus Langley ex Rhetorica.

Juramentum alumnorum praestiterunt die 18 Philippus Vavasour de Willitoft dioecesis Eboracensis natus die 25 decembris 1713 styl. veteri in Poesi.

Et Thomas Daniel dioecesis et Comitatus Lancastriensis natus die 20 Martii styl. veteri et ingreditur an 19<sup>num</sup> 20 Martii 1733 Styl. novo in Poesi.

Die 3 diem clausit extremum in Anglia Londini Nobilissimus Thomas Howard Dux Norfolciae\* Magnus Angliae Mareshallus, de hoc Collegio in quo fuerat educatus, optime meritis. Officium pro anima illius et sacrum solemne, modo quo poterant maxime solemniter celebravit vicepraeses cum aliis in nostra Ecclesia, Tota fere Ecclesia velabatur panno nigro, cum insignibus armorum familiae. In medio Chori erectum quasi mausoleum cum corona ducali et insignibus officii Mareshallatus cum magna facium illuminatorum multitudine.

Invitabantur omnes nobiles et praecipui civitatis ex Parlamento, Universitate, Magistratibus etc., et plurimi aderant, tum tempore officii vespertini, tum missae solemniter quae in musica Cantabatur.

Officium etiam defunctorum et missa solemniter cantabatur pro matre illius, Nobilissima Dna Howard quae paulo ante defuncta fuerat.

Habitu etiam officium et sacrum solemne defunctorum pro anima Dnae Annae Witham de Cliff.

Die 28<sup>va</sup> Januarii discessit nob. juvenis Thomas Howard filius Bernardi Howard de Norfolcia ad Serenissimum Principem Electorem Palatinum apud Manheim, ipsum comitatus est in itinere Exim. Dnus Gulielmus Thornburge.

Feb. 1733.

die 14 hujus mensis obiit puer circiter 14 annorum Bernardus Walsh.

[p. 183] Die 17 mane reversus est ad Colleg. Ex. D. R. Witham hujus Collegii Praeses, postquam, per 4 menses expectasset Parisiis acceptationem dimissionis sui officii Praesidis hujus Collegii, infirmâ adhuc valetudine.

Missam solemnem pro anima Nob. dnâe [blank] Paston cantavit D. Petre Vicepraeses die 21 mensis.

Die 24 In festo S. Mathiae Apostoli juramentum alumnorum praestitit Henricus Maire de Hartbushes Philos 2di anni dioecesis Dunelmensis natus 19 maii 1714 stylo veteri bonae spei adolescens.

\* Eighth Duke of Norfolk, son of Lord Thomas Howard of Worksop, Notts., and Mary, dau. of Sir John Savile, Bart., of Copely, Yorkshire. He was born 11 Dec., 1683, married Mary, dau. of Sir Nicholas Shireburne, of Stonyhurst, Lancs., and succeeded to the dukedom in 1701.

*Mart. 1733.*

Die 11 mensis hujus discessit Neoportum ad Carthusianos Anglos Eduardus Fornby Lancastriensis ex Syntaxi.

Die 17 obiit Matthaeus Kirvan e Syntaxi.

Die 21 Atrebatum cum exim. dno Georg. Kendall missi sunt ad ordines suscipiendos et susceperunt:—

Tonsuram M. Arthurus Leak vere Stonor et Minores ordines Grammaticae magister Joan. Tourner et praenob. Dnus Bernard Howard; Subdiaconatum; M. Gulielmus Grimalston Tonsuram minores ordines et Subdiaconatum; M. Ricardus Kendal Tonsuram et minores ordines tantum. Ad Diaconatum promoti sunt D. Albanus Butler et D. Eduardus Daniel.

Ad sacrum presbyteratus ordinem D. Georg. Henricus Heddon.

*April 1733.*

[p. 184]. In die solemni Paschatis primitias suas omnipotenti Deo obtulit R. adm. D. Georgius Henricus Heddon Eboracensis die 5 hujus mensis.

Die 17 diem clausit supremam nob. et optimae spei juvenis Henricus Howard De Graystock filius natu maximus nob. Dni Henrici Caroli Howard.

Die 21 mensis ex hac vita migravit magister Arthurus Leak vere Stonor professor Grammaticae optimae spei juvenis.

Die 26 e vita discessit bonae spei juvenis et alumnus Collegii Philippus Vavasour de Willitof e Poesi Eboracensis.

Eadem die obiit collegii janitor e villa de Contich.

Exim. D. Praeses de consilio medicorum prohibuit ne studiosi per aliquod tempus pilâ luderent eo quod ex lusu nimium calefacti, inciderent in morbum pleuritidis qui multis hoc tempore fatalis extitit. Indulsit tamen ut post coenam ipsis concederetur venia exeundi et deambulandi.

Tres alumni mortui sunt spatio septem mensium et quatuor alii studiosi praeter Janitorem. tres nimium ex morbo variolarum, unus tabe consumptus est, et tres ex pleuritide.

Ad Collegium reversus est Exim. D. Gulielmus Thornburge ut prosequeretur tract suum Theologicum.

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*April 1733.*

*Exemplar Procurationis dati et missi a Praeside ad D. Laurentium Mayes.*

Anno Dni 1733 mensis Aprilis die 25. In nostrorum notariorum Apostolicorum infrascriptorum in oppido Duacensi commorantium praesentia personaliter constitutus Reverendus ac exim Dnus Robertus Witham presbyter Sac. Theol doctor et Coll. Angl. duacensis praeses, ex ejus certâ scientia, merâ et spontanea voluntate, omnibus melioribus modo, via et formâ quibus melius et efficacius de jure potuit et debuit, potestque et debet, fecit et constituit, creavit, nominavit, solemniterque ordinavit, prout tenore praesentium creat nominat ac ordinat, suum verum, certum legitimum et indubitatum Procuratorem, actorem et negotiorum suorum Gestorem et nuntium specialem Rdum Dnum Laurentium Mayes presbyterum natione Anglum, modo Romae commorantem, absentem tanquam praesentem; specialiter et expresse



ad ejusdem dicti dni constituentis nomine, et pro eo omnia arreragia jam debita et in posterum debenda certarum pensionum valoris centum et septuaginta quinque Scutorum monetae Romanae in Singulos menses, per sacrum montem pietatis ejusdem loci solvendarum in gratiam alumnorum dicti collegii, in pietate et doctrina Catholicâ informandorum et instituendorum pro missione Anglica et augmento Catholicae Religionis Romanae et in regno Angliae sanctam sedem Apostolicam praefato Collegio concessarum et assignatorum, nec non aliarum quarumcunque pensionum ac reddituum et fructuum ad dictum Col: ad idem Collegium pertinentium, etiam quinque locorum montis Sti Petri primae creationis et septem locorum cum dimidio montis fidei, et quatuor locorum montis facinae restaurati petendum et exigendum et recuperandum, et omnibus viis debitis prosequendum, debitores omnes id illorum solutionem et numerationem cogendum, et si opus sit, compellendum, eosque omnes et singulas summas recipiendum, liberandum et quietandum, literasque quittatorias sub quacunque verborum forma subscribendum, dandum et tradendum ac in meliori quâ poterit fieri, formâ expediendum. Item ad omnia alia negotia dicti Dni constituentis peragendum, et quaslibet prosecutiones ad praemissa necessarias, et si necesse fuerit, pro iis coram quibuscunque iudicibus, ac commissariis ac in quibusvis locis et audituis comparandum, dictique Dni constituentis personam repraesentandum, ac ibidem litigandum et occupandum, in omnibus suis causis, tam in agendo, quam in defendendo motis et movendis agendum et defendendum, et quicquid in facto et ordine iudiciorum et litium requisitum et necessarium fuerit, juxta morem consuetudinem et stilum loci, seu locorum, in quibus praemissa fieri contigerit faciendum et exequendum, et ad effectum perducendum unum quoque vel plures Procuratores, qui similem vel limitatam in praemissis habeat vel habeant potestatem loco sui [p. 186.] substituendum, cumque vel eas, si opus sit revocandum, praesenti Procuratorio, nihilominus in suo robore permanserunt, et generaliter omnia et singula faciendum gerendum et exercendum quae praedictis et circa praedicta viderit necessaria et opportuna, etiamsi alia forent, quae mandatum exigerent magis speciale, quam praesentibus sit expressum promittens praefatus Dnus constituens se perpetuo gratum ratum et firmum semper habiturum omne id, et quicquid per dictum dnum Procuratorem, vel alios ab eo substituendos in praedictis et circa praedicta actum, gestum et procuratum fuerit, sub obligatione et hypotheca, omnium et singulorum supradicti Collegii bonorum, mobilium et immobilium, praesentium et futurorum. Acta fuerant haec Duaci die mense et anno quibus supra coram nobis Petro Taffin presbytero Canonico et Scholastico insignis Ecclesiae Collegiatae Sti Petri, et Petro Fran. Josepho Taffin etiam presbytero Capellano ejusdem Ecclesiae, notariis Apostolicis in Archiviis Curiae Romae descriptis, qui eximius dominus comparens, una nobiscum Notariis Apostolicis hoc Procuratorium subsignavit, prout et minutam ejusdem.

*Pet. Taffin* Not. Apostol.

Rob. Witham.

*P. F. J. Taffin* Notar. Apost.

Nos Joan, Baptista Descarpentries presbyter sacrae Theol. Licentiatuſ Ecclesiae Collegiatae S. Petri oppidi Duacensis Canonicus, nec non dioecesis Atrebatensis, residentiae etiam Duacensis officialis ac Judex ordinarius, notum facimus et attestamur instrumentum suprascriptum manu propria magistrorum Petri Taffin et Petri Fran. Josephi Taffin notariorum Apostolicorum signatum esse, illique fidem adhiberi posse in iudicio et extra. In quorum fidem praesentes manu propria subsignatas, curiae nostrae sigillo communivimus. Datum anno Dni milesimo septingentesimo trigesimo tertio, mensis Aprilis die vigesima 5<sup>ta</sup>.\*

Descarpentries.

Locus Sigilli.

*Maii. 1733.*

[p. 187] Disputationes theologicae habitae sunt, Praeside Ex. Dno Georgio Kendal de Actibus humanis etc., et de Incarnatione respondentibus:—

Die 6to maii mane D. Christop Gradell diaconus; a meridie D. Albanus Butler diaconus.

Die 8vo mane D Edoardus Daniel Diaconus; A meridie nob. D. Bernardus Howard Subdiac.

Die 9 Mag. Turbervillus Needham Acolythus mane. Et a meridie R. D. Thomas Atherton Sacerdos.

Die 12 Sacrum solemne omnip. Deo in honorem S. Caroli Borromaei pro liberatione a morbis, a subitanea et improvisa morte, nec non pro gratiarum actione quod singuli ex illis qui a novem mensibus in hoc collegio diem clausierint supremam, et debitè ac tempestive omnia receperint sacramenta; et pie ac devotè in Christo obierunt, cantavit Ex D. Praeses etc., Et veniam pila ludendi studiosis restituerit quae ipsis ad tempus de consilio medicorum fuerat suspensa seu denegata.

Die 15 In Angliam valetudinis recuperandae causa profectus est Henricus Jump alumnus Lancastriensis.

Die 21 accessit Carolus Pendril ex Sussexia.

Die 24 pie obiit longa et triennali tate consumptus D Robertus Markham de Ollerton Subdiaconus et alumnus hujus Collegii.

A mense octobri proxime praeterito, mortui sunt in nostro Collegio octo personae D. Georgius Vavasour qui defenderat Theolog. Universam et constitutus fuerat Grammaticae Professor. Mag. Arthurus Stonor qui absolverat Philosophiam universam et post D. Vavasour constitutus fuerat Grammaticae Professor. Philippus Vavasour Poeta et alumnus et D. Rob. Markham Subdiaconus, Thomas Petre de Belhouse qui brevi ut dicitur intendebat fieri alumnus. Nob. D. Henricus Howard de Graystock, Matthaeus Kirvan Hispanus ex Castello S. Mariae, et Gregorius Walsh ex Insulis Canariae. Ex his tres extincti sunt morbo variolarum, tres pleuride, et duo Tabe lenta, omnes omnia Sacramenta rite pie et tempestive receperunt; divina sic ordinante Providentia.

[p. 188.] Die 30 Ad sacrum presbyteratus ordinem ordinatus est ab Illustrissimo Francisco Baglion de la Salle Episcopo Atrebatensi D. Edwardus Daniel Lancastriensis.

\* A note on this document appears in the Introduction.—E.N.



Jun: 1733.

Die 5 Profectus est in Angliam ob quaedam collegii negotia intra duos menses reversurus R. D. Franc. Petre Vicepraeses et Procurator Collegii.

Cum illo discesserunt M. Robertus Dalton (hic Holland) ex logica et Jacob<sup>s</sup> Roche educatus in Insulis Canariensibus ex Grammatica.

Die 4 in festo Solemni Corporis Christi, primitias suas per missam solemnem obtulit R. adm. D. Dnus Edoard<sup>s</sup> Daniel dioecesis Cestriensis.

Cum Dno Petre Vicepraeses misit in Angliam Ex. D. Praeses casum consensientiae circa sustentationem Bursariorum seu Scholarium, qui nominari solebant ad tales fundationes, quarum redditus defecerant ad 4tam partem Edictis Regiis, sine ullâ culpâ Administratorum Collegii, et per casus, qui nec vitari nec praevideri poterant. Resolutio istius casûs facta et signata fuerat ab Amplissimo Dno Descarpentriers officiali Generali dioecesis Atrebatensis. Resolutio autem fuerat Collegium non obligari ad integram sustentationem sed tantum *provata* et cum proportionem ad redditus annuos, qui tunc recipiebantur, Tria Exemplaria authentica secum detulit Vicepraeses.

Die 20. accesserunt Edoardus et Jacobus Hanford filii Ed. Hanford Armigeri de Woolershill in comitatu Vigorniensis uterq, ad rudimenta.

*Nota bene.* The new Refectory, when built, is supposed to be 85 foot in length and in breadth 26, within the walls, from hence will arise a superficies of 2210 foot square. The covering of this must contain the same number of feet squared in sheets of lead, which if it be, as the French say *laminé*, of a line and a half thickness, will weigh every foot square 8 pounds, and will make in all 17680 pounds of lead *laminé*, which, if we suppose to cost 6<sup>s</sup>0<sup>d</sup>s french a pound, will cost 5304 liv. French.

Examine how much it would cost, if covered the common way, boards over it, and blew slates over them, to know the difference of the price from leading and not leading. It would be much more handsome and noble where the Seniors and others might walk and the continual reparations of the blew slates would be spared and the court much more airy.

July 1733.

[p. 189.] Die 11 mensis habitae sunt disputationes seu defensiones Logicae praeside R. D. Gulielmo Maire de Lartington respondentibus mane [a word difficult to decipher, probably [Ricardo] Gant]. Josepho Sall.

Et a meridie Jacobo Hudson et Rob. Needham.

Die 13 habitae sunt disputationes in Philosop Universam. praeside R. D. Gulielmo Green respondente mane Georgio Hardwick, a meridie Josepho Barnes.

Die 14 mane Henricus Maire de Hartbushes.

die 15to mane Thomas Clark, a meridie Gulielmus Jenison, omnes cum applausu.

die 21 accessit Ricard<sup>us</sup> Bellew ad dialecticam.

Die 26 [accessit] Thomas Witham ex familia de Cliff Eboracensis puer duodecim annorum filius Gulielmi Witham armigeri et Annae Lawson filiae Henrici Lawson Equitis Aurati.

Die 27 [discessit] Joseph<sup>a</sup> Lille theologus non alumnus nec tonsuratus clam aufugiendo e Collegio.

Accessit die [blank] Thomas Garter.

*August 1733.*

Die rma habitae sunt disputationes Theologicae de decalogo, Praeside Exim. dno Doctore Gulielmo Thornburge, respondentibus mane D Georg. Bordley diacono, a meridie D. Gulielm Grimalston subdiacono.

Continuatae sunt eadem disputationes die 3 Augusti respondentibus mane mag. Ricardo Kendal Acolytho. A meridie M. Jacobo Brown Convictore. Die 4to R. D. Georgio Henrico Heddon Sacerdote.

Die 3 discessit Petrus Burrel e Syntaxi avocatus a Patre.

Die 7 Reversus est ad Collegium ex Anglia R. D. Fran. Petre Vicepraeses et Procurator, et cum eo ad Collegiū et ad rudimenta accesserunt Thomas Short ex Bury in comitatu Essexiae et Georgius Anderson ex Richmond in comitatu Eboracensi.

[p. 190.] Die 15 in Festo Assumptionis B. V. M. juramentum Alumnorum praestiterunt Jacobus Brown natus die 15 maii an 1708. Et Emir Grimalston natus die 2 Junii styl. vet. an. 1715 dioecesis Cestriensis.

Die 17 discessit completis cum laude studiis Philosophicis Gulielm<sup>a</sup> Jenison de Hurworth in comitatu Dunelmensi.

*Septembr. 1733.*

die 22 discessit missus in Angliam R. D. Joannes Hankin de Novo Castello in Northumbria postquam Grammaticam docuerat an. 1732 et Syntaxim an. 1733.

Discessit die 28 nob. juvenis finita Grammatica Joseph<sup>a</sup> Salvin de Croxdale (hic Smith) e comitatu Dunelmensi. discessit Gandavum jussu Patris.

die 26 discessit finita Poesi Thomas White ad Patrem in civitate S. Maclovii in Britannia minori.

*Octobr. 1733.*

Initio mensis apertae sunt more solito Scholae omnes tum Philosophiae tum literarum humaniorum et die 12 Scholae Theologiae.

*Catalogus.*

*Seniores 8.*

Ex. D. Rob. Witham Praeses.

R. D. Fran. Petre Vicepraeses et Procurator Confessarius.

Ex. D. Georg. Kendal Sacr. Theol doctor et Professor et Confess.

Ex. D. Gulielm Thornburge S. Theol doctor et Professor 2d<sup>arius</sup>

Studiorum Praefectus et Confessarius.

R. D. Gulielm. Foster Praefectus generalis.

R. D. Gulielm. Green Professor Logicae.

R. D. Gul. Maire Professor philosophiae.

Mr. Thomas Stapylton convictor.

*Professores 6.*

R. D. Joan. Wilkinson Profess Poesios et Praefectus valetudinarii.

R. D. Thom. Roydon Professor Rhaeticae.

R. Dnus Atherton Praefectus musaei et sacristiae.



R. D. Geo. Hen. Heddon Profess. Syntaxios.  
 Mag. Hugo Kendal Profess Rudimentorum.  
 Mag. Georgius Harwick Professor Grammaticae.

*Theologi* 13.

R. D. Edw. Daniel Theol 3 anni.  
 D. Georg Bordley diaconus Theol 4ti anni.  
 D. Christop Gradel Diacon. theol. 4ti anni.  
 D. Bernard<sup>a</sup> Howard de Norfolk Subdiac. Theol. 4ti anni.  
 D. Albanus Butler diac. Theol. 3 et ultimi anni.  
 D. Gulielmus Grimalston Subdiac.  
 [p. 191] Turbervillus Needham Acolythus.  
 Mr. Joannes Tournier Acolythus.  
 Mr. Ricardus Kendal Acolythus.  
 Josephus, vere Jacobus Brown.  
 Josephus Barnes.  
 Thom. Clark.  
 Henricus Maire de Hartbushes.

*Philosophi* 2<sup>di</sup> anni. 5

Jacobus Hudson. Ricardus Gant.  
 Joannes Horniold. Robertus Needham.  
 Josephus Sale.

*Philos primi* anni 7.

Ricardus Steel. Ricardus Bellow.  
 Carolus Needham. Antonius Jefferson.  
 Thomas Parry. Thomas Slack.  
 Joannes Busby.

*Rhetores.* 9

Joan Debord Dunelmensis. Thom. Grimalston.  
 Petrus Waring. Rob. Butler.  
 Jacob<sup>a</sup> Cammock. Gulielmus Walton.  
 Joannes Bamber. Joan. Seton.  
 Thom. Daniel.

*Poetae* 9.

Thomas Golden. Carolus Howard de Norfolk.  
 Jacobus Cotham. Windsor Heneage.  
 Thomas Butler. Edmund Blundel (Butler).  
 Joan. Needham. Joan. Bennet.  
 Thomas Shimel.

*Syntaxiani* 11.

Georg. Danson. Thomas Aston de Standon.  
 Edoard Worthington (Ball). Nicolaus White.  
 Fran. Heneage. Thomas Elms.  
 Joan. Harrison. Georg. Trotter.  
 Josep. Walmesly. Ludovicus Morgan.  
 Joannes Cottam.

*Grammatici* 9.

Gulielm<sup>a</sup> Daniel. Jacobus Slaughter.  
 Joan Banister. Joannes Dun.

Carolus (Philip\*) Howard de Georgius Merry.  
Graystock. Thomas Short.

Thomas Howard de Graystock. Thomas Garter.

*In 1 classe Rudimentorum. 8*

Georgius Anderson. Michael Murrhoe.

Thom. Witham. Hugo Edmonson.

Georgius Haydock. Carolus Pendrell.

Jacobus Sherwood. Thomas Cottam.

*In inferioribus Rudimentis.*

In 2da classe 6.

In 3tia classe 5.

Georgius Rider (Ravenscroft). Christop. Layfield.

Carolus Tighe. Carolus Smallbone (Clifton).

Lucas Pots. Philip Wareham.

Jacobus Hanford. Fran. Rider (Ravenscroft).

Edoard\* Hanford. Joan. Conquest.

Joannes Crainsborough.

In all 96 praeter famulos.

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*Octobr. 1733.*

Die 7 accesserunt ad Collegium Christop Layfield\* Georgius Rider hic Ravenscroft, Fran. Rider Ravenscroft,† Philip. Wareham‡ omnes Rudimentis operam dant.

Die 13 discessit in Angliam ex Syntaxi Joannes Bennet.

Die 23 discessit in Angliam Robertus Needham.

Die 7 accessit Thomas Slack§ alumn\* Coll. Anglorū Romae.

*Novemb. 1733.*

die 9 novembris [discessit] ob adversam valetudinem Thomas Slack alumnus Collegii Anglorum Romae.

Accessit ad Collegium die 22 Carolus Clifton hic Small-Bones.

*December 1733.*

Posterioribus hujus anni mensibus initum est foedus inter Reges Galliae, Hispaniae, et Sardiniae seu Ducem de Subaudia contra Imperatorem Germaniae seu Romanorum. Galli transierunt Rhenum et post paucarum dierum obsidionem coeperunt castrum quoddam dictum Kiel. et in Italia coeperunt Mediolanum et celebre Castellum Mediolanense et aliquot oppida, bis per totam Galliam cantabatur publice *Te Deum*. Una saltem Belli occasio erat duplex Electio duorum Regum

\* Son of Richard Layfield of Wennington and Elizabeth Atkinson, born 13 Sept. 1713; ordained 22 Dec. 1742; chaplain to Lord Aston at Tixall, where he died 27 Sept. 1761.

† Members of the family of Ryder or Rider of West Bromwich, Staffordshire, which had intermarried with the family of Ravenscroft of Wickham, Huntingdonshire. Just a hundred years previously Thomas and George Ravenscroft had entered Douay and used the same alias Rider. Mr. Gillow mentions John and James Ravenscroft as students at Douay in 1715, and identifies George above-mentioned with the priest whom Kirk in error calls Rev. James Ravenscroft.

‡ Son of John Warham, an Englishman living in Ireland, and Anne Kinoman his wife. Born in Armagh diocese, ordained 23 Sept. 1747 and died at Douay 1 April following.

§ Son of Launcelot Slack of Lancashire and Ann Wonsworth. Born 1714; entered Eng. Coll. Rome 16 Nov. 1731; left Rome through ill-health April 1733, and after a month at Douay returned to England 9 Nov. 1733.



in Regno Poloniae, viz primo Regis Stanislai Patris Reginae Galliae, post cujus Coronationem ab aliis in Polonia Principibus faventibus Imperatore Germaniae et irruptione facta in Poloniam per copias Imperatricis Magnae Russiae seu Muscovitis, electus fuerat iterum Elector Saxoniae, filius ultimi Regis Poloniae.

Die 23 decembris orta est quaedam Controversia seu dubium an illa die vacandum esset a Scholis, eo quod vigilia Nativitatis hoc anno incideret in diem Jovis. Concessit Praeses ut illa die 23 vacarent Scholares, sive ut haberent diem Recreationis. Postea legendo Diarium Ex Dni Francisci Gage, hujus Collegii Praesidis, quod diarium est omnium accuratissimum, inventum est a Praeside moderno, quod cum orta esset similis Controversia, anno 1679, cum vigilia Nativitatis incidisset in diem dominicam *conclusum fuisset* ut ibidem scribitur *negative*, et Scholares illa die 23<sup>ta</sup> scholas frequentabant, vide dictum *Hemerologium*.\*

Finis anni 1733.

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Anno 1734.

*Januar. Februar. Martii.*

Die 1<sup>mo</sup> *Januarii* concessit Praeses ut Scholares vacarent a Scholis ad diem Sacrum Epiphaniae, ea conditione ut bene et prudenter se gererent, aliis ut statim fieret Scholarum frequentatio.

Die 2<sup>da</sup> *Februarii* juramentum Alumnorum praestitit Gulielmus Steel Logicus Eboracensis.

Die 15 *Februarii* discesserunt in Angliam evocati a matre Windsor Heneage Poeta, et frater ipsius Franciscus Heneage de Hainton in comitatu Lincolniae.

Die 11 *Martii* juramentum alumnorum praestitit Gulielmus Walton Rhaetor bonae spei adolescens, diocesis Cestriensis in comitatu Lancastriae.

Hoc tempore in choro nostro Clericorum fuimus Personae 37 cum duobus in Anglia absentibus ob sanitatem recuperandam qui redire deberent, omnes uno excepto D. Thom. Stapylton Convictore sustentantur expensis Collegii. N.B. quod Dnus Georg. Harwick magister Scholae Grammaticae nondum sit alumnus Summi Pontificis per praestationem Juramenti.

Die 12 *Martii* venit et mansit apud nos ad diem 15<sup>um</sup> Illustrissimus et Reverendus Dnus. Joannes Savage Comes de Rivers et Rock-Savage in Comitatu Cestriae Sacerdos, educatus, et ordinatus, et postea in Angliam missus et missionarius hujus Collegii obtentâ dispensatione a Juramento Pontificio vixit Leodii ab an 1716, et nuper obtinuit canonicatum in oppido de Seclin inter Duacum et Insulas.

Ego Rob Witham hujus Collegii Praeses testor me sincerissimo animo optasse et etiamnū optare dimissionem et abdicationem muneris seu officii Praesidis hujus Collegii, cujus Regimen mihi invito impositum fuit jussu Sanctitatis suae die 5 *Februarii* an 1715 ut videre est in initio hujus diarii. Soepius quantum in me fuit, feci dimissionem officii Praesidis, ut videre licet in hoc a me scripto diario vide Exemplar dimissionis factae Reverendissimis in Angliâ Episcopis circa, finem an.

\* This is the missing Sixth Diary.

1720 vide aliam dimissionem factam fuisse a me an. 1722 ut significatur eo anno mense novembri. Romae recusata fuit illa dimissio facta Sacrae Congregationi de Propag fide. vide ultimam dimissionem an. 1732 mense Julii.

[p. 194] Die 16 Martii an. 1734 visum est hic inserere et annotare nonnulla ad futuram rerum memoriam quae spectant ad Statum, tum Collegii, tum Cleri nostri Anglicani, et spectare poterunt in posterum—Diem ultimum hujus vitae mortalis, claudente Exim. Dno. Edoardo Paston Sac. Theol. doc. et Praeside hujus Collegii per annos viginti sex, et suffecto in ejus locum an sequenti viz 1715 me, R. Witham indignissimo et planè invito, et ad Collegium adventante, die 28 Octobris an 1715, inventum est Collegium aere alieno gravatum ad summam quadranginta [sic] quatuor mille florenorum monetae Flandriae sive ad quatuor fere mille libras sterlingas, juxta valorem tunc in Angliâ correspondentem. Intra unius aut alterius anni spacium, ope amicorum, soluta sunt omnia illa debita, vide hoc diarium, et libros rationum Collegii sub Procuratore R.D. Thom. Brocholes.

Aliud gravissimum inconveniens ortum est ex falsis Rumoribus et calumniis nonnullorum, tum Anglorum tum aliorum in hac Academia adversariorum, praesertim Ex Dno Edoardo Hawarden, Professori Sac. Theologiae per multos annos in hoc Collegio, quasi docuisset doctrinam, minùs sanam contra jura Sedis Apostolicae, et faventem erroribus Jansenistarum et Quenellii, a quibus erroribus ipsum immunem fuisse non est dubium, ut constare potest ex visitatione Collegii, facta per viros doctrinâ et pietate insignes, D. Deckers, decanum Ecclesiae Mechliniensis [sic], et Dn Joan Bap. Smets, Praesidem Seminarii Episcopalis Mechliniensis, postea Rdssimum Epum Ipreensem, et nunc Episcopum Gandavensem. Facta visitatione, et examine de doctrinâ in Collegio traditâ et de disciplinâ collegii, et de moribus omnium, declararunt Collegium immune esse ab omni suspitione Jansenismi, aut errorum quorumcunq. contra fidem imò Collegium summis laudibus ornarunt, ut breviter notatur in supplemento hujus diarii an. 1711—neque omitendum arbitror quod Egomet non semel audiavi ab Illustrissimo et Revendissimo D. Joan Baptista Smets Epo Iprensi. Cum enim essem Ipris cum nonnullis theologis, quibus, cum magnis Benevolentiae signis, ordines, ad quos praesentabantur, contulit, me ad prandium invitavit, cum non paucis, melioris notae viris, ubi aderat etiam Pater Societatis Jesu Praeses seminarii Episcopalis Tornacensis, et inter prandendum ad me convertens sermonem, clarâ voce, Exim Dne Witham, inquit Episcopus, suscepi jussu Sedis Apostolicae visitationem vestri Seminarii, seu Collegii Anglo-duaceni, et fateor me [p. 195] nihil unquam in me suscepisse cum majori animi reluctantiâ; ex quibusdam enim sparsis Rumoribus, putabam me illic inventurum *nidum Jansenistarum*, verum hic palàm profiteor, me nunquam a quovis negotio reversum esse animo alacriori, cum post accuratum—examen, invenimus Collegium quod in doctrina, disciplina, et moribus, meritò exemplò esse poterat omnibus aliis Collegiis.

Ad vindicandam similiter famam nostri Collegii, nostriq. in Anglia Cleri, plurimum procul dubio conducunt binae Epistolae; prior scripta



fuit an 1711 jussu Sanctitatis suae et directa nominatim tribus nostris in Angliâ *Episcopis Madaurensi, Callipolitano, et Marcopolitano, eorumq. Vicariis Gener. et universo Clero magnae Britanniae*, per Secretarium Cardlem Paulutium, quae incipit, *Etsi SSS D. N de perspecta pietate etc.* vide 2dam paginam hujus diarii—posterior Epla similiter scripta fuit, speciali jussu SSS Patris Clem 11 per eundem Cardinalem Secretarium, Em D. Paulutium, et directa in hunc modum die 26 Martii an 1715. *D.D. Praesidi, Convictoribus, et alumni Colleg. Angl. Duacum*, Incipit his verbis, *vix reddita fuerunt etc.* vide iterum exemplar hujus Epistolae eâdem pag 2 hujus diarii. Agens noster D. Mayes ad me scripsit, hanc Epistolam dilatam fuisse aliquo tempore, ut putabat, donec novus praeses constitutus fuisset, et ad Collegium veniret. Notentur imprimis haec verba, *me suo nomine scribere voluit, vosque, omnes magnopere laudare de vestro isto erga Stae Sedis oracula, prompto humilique animo, deque eâ cura, atque studio quod pro veritate amplectandâ, et geritis quidem nunc et semper gessistis etc.*

Si gloriari oportet (non expedit quidem, inquit Apostolus) Ego pro Collegio et meipso, de nullâ re magis gloriandum arbitrarer, quam de nostro sincero zelo, omnibus, ni fallar, manifesto, et soepius manifestato in Thesibus et libris scriptis et impressis, etiam a tempore, quo Ego, volente Sac Congreg: regimen Collegii in me suscepi, non hoc dico, quasi Praedecessores mei, et hujus Collegii Professores et doctores, reliquique Sacerdotes, minorem quam nos, olim, ostenderint zelum erga Sedem et fidem Apostolicam, imo fateor et glorior, illos nostros Praedecessores, multo firmiorem et ferventiorum quam nos, zelum usq. ad extremum Spiritum demonstrasse, cum *spectaculum facti sunt mundo, et Angelis et hominibus*, adeo ut meritò et verè dicere et gloriari potuerint verbis Apostoli, 2 Cor. c. 11. dicendo, se pro defendendâ, non solum fidei Catholicae veritate, sed et Sedis Apostolicae auctoritate, et Primatu in Spiritualibus, *in laboribus plurimis, in carceribus abundantius, in plagis supra modum, in mortibus frequenter etc.* immo adeo frequenter, [p. 196] ut ex hoc primo et unico Collegio, centum et quadraginta circiter sacerdotes, crudele, imo saepe saepius crudelissimum, et gloriosissimum passi fuerint in Anglicanâ missione martyrium. Verum haec obiter, nec tamen abs re; nunc ut ad novissimi temporis circumstantia revertar.

Zelus omnium qui in hoc Collegio vel docuerunt vel educati sunt saltem a viginti et amplius annis, contra Jansenistas et Quenellium, adeo perspectus est, ut publici saltem *obstruantur ora loquentium iniqua*. Bene est quod nec Adversarii nostri, in hac delicatâ materiâ, nec audeant palam contra doctrinam nostrâ loqui nec occulte nos insimulare sicut quidem a 30 circiter annis fecerunt, clanculum tamen, ut totum illud *negotium erat perambulans in tenebris*, a quorum calumniis, ut jam observatum est, abundè nos vindicavit Epistola Clementis 11<sup>mi</sup> ad Praesidem etc.

Verum nunquam defuerunt, nec hodie desunt quidam homines, invidi, et praesertim indocti, qui, ut conqueritur Innocentius 12<sup>mus</sup> in suo Brevis ad Episcopos in Belgio, *vago et invidioso Jansenismi nomine, traducere* non desistunt viros pios, et doctos, qui non sunt de illorum scholis; qui temerè judicant, facillè credunt, et facilius disseminant

rumores contra Sacerdotes Cleri saecularis, praesertim apud mulierculas ipsis devotas Hinc non raro, et nuper quidem sparsos audivimus Rumores et suspiciones, contra omnes generatim, qui Parisiis commorantur, sive Clericos, sive foeminas religiosas, quasi Jansenismus aut Quenellissimus irrepsisset in omnia ferè Seminaria ac monasteria, simulq. periculosissimus Spiritus inobedientiae erga Stā Sedem Apostolicam, et contemptus Constitutionum Sum. Pontificum, nominatim Constitutionum, quae dicuntur *Vineam Dni, et Unigenitus*, et contemptus Jurisdictionis Episcopalis, quasi adhaerent partibus Appellantium ab illis decretis etiam postquam recepta fuerint ab *Universali Ecclesiā* per orbem Catholicum *diffusā*, tam in Galliā, quam in coeteris omnibus orbis Christiani Regnis, quasi denique laudarent (cum libere loqui audeant) et fidem adhiberent falsis, fictis, et ridiculis illis miraculis, quae facta narrantur apud *Stum Medardum*. Deo per haec miracula declarante, veram et orthodoxam esse doctrinam *Jansenistarum* et *Quenellistarum* et *Appellantium* a supradictis Constitutionibus ad Concilium Generale.

Certius quidem est quam quod in dubium possit vocari et maximè dolendum, multos esse tum Parisiis tum in aliis Galliae dioecesibus, pseudo-Pastores, et doctores, Laicos in [p. 197] dignitate aliquā constitutos, et Laicas indoctas, praesertim in inferiori plebe, qui ut Ego testari possum (qui nuper per sex menses mansi Parisiis) gloriari non erubescunt *de nomine Jansenistae*, quod non ita pridem infame habebatur etiam Parisiis; audiivi quosdam inter illos dicentes, veritatem nusquam inveniri nisi apud Jansenistas, miracula patrata apud S Medardum esse indubitata; Appellantibus omnino esse adhaerendum Ecclesiam Ultrajectensem omnibus esse anteponendam, nihil determinari posse, donec convocetur Concilium Generale, constitutionem Unigenitus esse abominationem et erroribus refertam etc.

Mirum profectò haec dici posse, vel a Pastoribus vel a quibuscunque Catholicis, postquam Rex. Galliae in Epistola datā 22<sup>da</sup> Julii an 1731, et missā ad singulos per Galliam Episcopos declaravit, *Constitutioni Unigenitus debere submissionem integram, et perfectum, non tanquam legi Politicae, sed tanquam Judicio dogmatico Ecclesiae universalis*, vel, ut antea Rex declaraverat in decreto dato 24 Martii an 1730, *Constitutione unigenitus esse recipiendam, ut Judicium Universalis Ecclesiae in materia doctrinae*. Recepta est *Constitutio Unigenitus* in ipsā Galliā ab omnibus Episcopis, qui sunt centum et viginti octo, paucissimis i.e. 3bus aut 4 exceptis; recepta est ab omnibus aliis Catholicis Episcopis, per totum orbem Catholicum, nemine excepto: ergo recepta est ab Ecclesiā *Catholicā diffusivā*, quae errare non potest, non magis quam Ecclesia in Conc Oecumenico congregata.

Illud autem accuratè observetur cum dixerim tantum esse numerum Jansenistarum, et Quenellistarum Parisiis, me numquam dixisse vel scripsisse quemquam in Seminario Anglo-Parisiensi esse Jansenistā sicut juvenis Quidam de illo Seminario, graviter contra me commotus, initio anni proximè praeteriti, ad me scripsit, illum a me *vocatum fuisse Jansenistam*. Hoc ego nunquam dixi, nec scripsi: hoc ego nunquam in animo judicavi, nec judicare auderem unusquisq. *Dno suo stat, vel cadit; nolite judicare, ut non judicemini.*



At, inquiet aliquis, si neminem illis iudices Jansenistam, nec Novatorum erroribus infectum quamobrem recusas illuc mittere aliquos  
 1 ex alumnis Coll Duaceni, uti miserunt tui Praedecessores? quare non [p. 198] permittis ut aliqui saltem de Seminario Parisiensi S.  
 2 Gregorii veniant ad Collegium Anglo-duacenum et ibidem doceant Philosophiam et Theologiam postquam gradus Baccalaureatûs aut Doctoratûs insigniti fuerint in celeberrimâ Academiâ Parisiensi, omnium in Catholico orbe famosissimâ, sicut etiam nonnullis de illo Seminario permissum fuit tempore Praedecessorum tuorum, Eximiorum Dominorum, Dni Smith, et Dni Paston praesertim cum Superior, et alii de Seminario Anglo-Parisiensi de hac exclusionem gravissime conquerantur, tanquam de injuriâ ipsis irrogatâ, et ita  
 3 conquesti sunt per totam Angliam, ut non pauci nobilium laicorum, et etiam Sacerdotum nostrorum missionariorum, similem contra te excitaverint querelam, non sine gravi praepudio antiquae matris, collegii duaceni, ad quod interdum minitanti sunt, se nec pecuniam, nec filios suos, nec Scholares missuros donec Praeses Collegii Duaceni iterum mittat aliquos de alumnis Pontificiis ad supplendum numerum Studentium in Sem. Parisiensi, simulque permittat, ut educati in seminario Parisiensi, revertantur, et doceant Philosophiam et Theologiam in Colleg Anglo-Duaceno. Auctum est a tribus annis, liberalitate amicorum, aedificium Seminarii S. Gregorii Parisiis: auctus, et duplicatus est numerus Studiosorum et convictorum istius Seminarii, qui olim, tempore scilicet Dni Smith et Paston, nunquam fuerunt nisi  
 4 quatuor, et jam sunt octo, et sperant se brevi tempore fore duodecim cum aliis convictoribus, et aliis qui ad missionem Anglicanam ibidem poterunt educari. En ansam et occasionem conquerendi, et Parisiis, et in Angliâ, contra te modernum Collegii duaceni Praesidem  
 5 en praecipuam causâ rumorum (sive falsi sint sive veri) quod nimium addictus sis partibus et doctrinae Jesuitarum, aliorumque Regularium: quod a te, dum theologiam doceres, atque ab  
 6 Exim D. Challoner mutata sit antiqua doctrina Thomistica, et ab aliis Professoribus in Coll. Duaceno, quod nimio superfluo et indiscreto zelo, defendunt Professores et Sacerdotes Duaceni Constitutionem *Unigenitus*, quod doceant Infallibilitatem Summi  
 8 Pontificis, ejusque superioritatem supra Conc. Generale: imò quod in dictatis suis docuerint indirectam Sum. Pont. potestatem in  
 9 Reges, qua deponere possit Reges, denique quod qualibet datâ occasione, Ego modernus Collegii Anglo-Duaceni Praeses, contemptum meum prodam et animû aversum Parisiensibus; unde cum nuper edita fuerunt praeclara 4 volumina de Gestis et vitâ SSorû, a quodam [p. 199] Parisensi doctore D.F.\* et ab alio ingenioso Sacerdote Cleri soecularis, Ego statim libellum in lucem emisim, cumque 4 Appendicibus in quibus vituperantur multa in illis voluminibus, una cum asperâ et Charitatis vacua Praefatione. Ut innotescat meis Successoribus harum objectionum veritas aut falsitas, singulis, quanta possum brevitate et perspicuitate Respondeo.

Ad. 1. quod nullos miserim alumnos Sum. Pontif ab anno 1717 die 16 7bris (vide hoc diarium) quo tempore, a me missi sunt Mag. Matthaeus

\* Dr. Fell. vere Charles Umfreville. See C.R.S. XIX 118.

Bear, et mag Georgius Bishop ad Seminarium S. Gregorii Parisiis *ambo* ut ibidem dicitur *ex nobili familia et optimae spei* cum in Scholâ nostra Theologicâ non essent nisi 5 tantummodo Theologi. Et ad 2dum quod non permittantur Baccalaurei aut doctores Parisienses docere Philosophiam aut Theologiam in Collegio Anglo-duaceno R 1. Utrumque expressè prohibitum fuit a Summo Pontifice Clemente XI per binas Epistolas ad nos missas ab Eminentissimo Secretario Cardli Paulutio *nomine Sanctitatis suae*, datas 19 Aug. an 1719 vide exemplar utriusque Epistolae die 11 Sep. in hoc diario an 1719 vide etiam 3tiam Epistolam, cum eâdem prohibitione, mense octobr ejusdem anni, ab Emin. Card. Gualterio Angliae Protectore *nomine* iterum *Sanctitatis suae*. Utraque prohibitio manet etiamnum in suo robore, dum haec scribo, die 18 Martii an 1734 s.n.

Scio D. Ingleton et alios de Seminario Parisiensi, soepius contra me affirmasse, me has duas Prohibitiones a Sum. Pontifice obtinuisse. Respondi non semel et iterum Respondeo prohibitionem mittendi alumnos aut convictores ex hoc Collegio ad proseguenda sua studia Parisiis, factam esse, antequam quicquam venit in mentem meam circa dictas Prohibitiones nam ut videre licet in hoc diario (in quo nihil unquam mutavi) mense Februarii 1719 literas accepi ab Illustrissimo Internuntio Bruxellensi cum dictâ prohibitione, et cum per literas a me interrogaretur, quâ authoritate facta fuisset illa prohibitio, respondit, factam esse a *Sanctitate sua*: a quâ procul dubio illas postea procuravit Prohibitiones, missas a Sanctitate suâ 19 Aug. ejusdem anni 1719 de quibus jam supra. (Vide etiam confirmationem prohibitionum in hoc diurnali die 24 Apr. an 1723). At iterum circa hanc materiam con-questi sunt, pluribus abhinc annis, et iterum anno superiori, cum essem Parisiis, quod ego rogatus a Doct. Ingleton superiori istius Seminarii [p. 200] nolebam subscribere cum ipso, ut peteremus a Summo Pontifice revocationem illarum prohibitionum, atque in posterum licentia daretur alumni Pontificiis Collegii Duaceni proseguendi studia sua Parisiis, et licentia Parisiensibus docendi Philosophiam Theologiam in collegio Duaceno.

Fateor me, memet excusare, nec consentire voluisse ut tali petitione nomen meum subscriberem, etiamsi forte id cuperent duo Reverendissimi Episcopi Madaurensis (Gifford) et Thespiensis (Stonor) doctores Parisienses, quorum posterior (mëus quondam in Philosophia discipulus) animum a me tantisper alienum semper ostenderat, a tempore quo recusavi in manus illius tradere versionem, quam paraveram in novum Testamentum, illamque versionem et notas submittere ipsius, et Ex Dni Hawardeni correctionibus ut ab ipsis in lucem ederentur. Et praeterea quod obtinuissem, ne Bulla in ipsius favorem obtenta, quâ minuta videbatur Jurisdictio Rdssmi Madaurensis, non esse habenda, nec dicenda *Bulla Inspectionis*, vide hoc diurnale mense Aug: an 1716. Posterior, viz Rdssmus Madaurensis, annos jam natus 94, a plurimis annis fuerat mihi amicissimus, multoties ad me scripserat, ne officium Praesidis dimitterem, in quo me mansurum saltem ad finem vitae suae speravit, me contemnere debere omnes contra me querelas etc. verum a duobus fere annis illius erga me meus et animus, nonnihil est mutatus ob



propensioŕem (non dubito) animum erga Seminarium S. Gregorii Parisiis, cujus cupit haberi quasi Fundator, et cujus promotioni et emolumentis me quodammodo adversarium reputabat: mutatusinquam, hac in re supra quam dici possit, cum in ultimis, quas ad me scripsit, literis contra pristinam mentem, de quâ toties ad me amantissime scripsisset, affirmabat jam se approbare meam dimissionem tanquam *piam et prudentem*, forsitan quod audisset successores a me sacrae Congregationi commendatos, esse omnes hujus Collegii duaceni, et nullum seminarii Parisiensis, ex quo vehementer cupiebat eligi meum Successorem, contra meam et multorum opinionem et contra bonum, tam hujus Collegii, quam totius cleri nostri Anglicani, et nostrae in Angliâ missionis, ut mox dicam.

Respondeo 2<sup>do</sup> ad primum et 2<sup>o</sup> dum, me noluisse subscribere Petitioni revocandi supradictas prohibitiones, eo quod omnino mutatae sint circumstantiae a tempore, quo duo postremi mei Praedecessores dignissimi, aliquando consenserunt mittere aliquos ex Alumnis hujus collegii studiorum causa Parisios mutata est imprimis fama Academiae Parisiensis, ut omnes norunt, propter adhaesionem factam *Apellationi* a Summo Pontifice, et a Constitutione Unigenitus ad Concilium Generale, et quoniam [p. 201] a quamplurimis doctoribus et Pastoribus Parisiis, et in aliis civitatibus per Galliam, dissentiones non modicae factae sunt inter Romanos Pontifices, et plurimos in Galliâ, quae abs[que] dubio vera fuit causa dictarum prohibitionum; et quamvis Sorbona suam revocaverit *Appellationem*, plurimi tamen, tum clerici, tum laici *adhaerent Appellationibus*, et concipi vix potest, quanto cum contemptu adhuc loquuntur contra potestatem, et jura Romani Pontificis; immo a paucis annis contra Tribunal jurisdictionis Episcopalis reclamantibus omnibus Episcopis in Galliâ contra jurisdictionem usurpatam a Tribunalibus saecularibus, etiam in negotiis spiritualibus. 2<sup>do</sup> mutatae sunt circumstantiae in seminario Anglo Parisiensi in quo tempore Praedecessorum meorum et juxta primam Institutionem, nunquam erant nisi quatuor studiosi, adeo ut satis, si 4 ad illos mitterentur studiosi ex hoc Collegio et ex Collegio Anglorum Ulissiponensi etc spatio 10 aut duodecim annorum, nunc duplicem saltem numerum exigent. Et si praedecessor meus magnas passus est difficultates magna[que] incomm[oda], supplendo Seminarium quatuor studiosis, ut notatur in hoc D<sup>urnali</sup> quomodo poterimus duplo plures subministrare? vide in fine mensis Martii anni 1722, ubi in margine dicuntur *Quaestiones quaedam importunae et molestae*, lege etiam notas in Epist. R.D. Day ad D. Lau Mayes, initio mensis Januarii an 1723 — — 3<sup>tio</sup> mutatae sunt circum- 4  
stantiae hujus Colleg: duaceni quoad numerum Scholarium qui in Collegio sustentari poterant, et sustentabantur tempore praedecessorum meorum, viz per damna gravissima, et inevitabilia, quae passi sumus per Edicta Regis Christianissimi, et diminutionem omnium summarum Capitalium, quae elocatae fuerat Parisiis ad censum perpetuum pro quibus summis pecuniariis, Rex solvebat primo sex per Centum, sed omnes summae Capitaes per absolutam Regis voluntatem, tandem reductae sunt ad duo et dimidium per Centum, adeo ut census annui, qui sufficiebant ad alendos viginti Scholares (computando viginti tantum

libras sterlingas per capita) jam vix aut ne vix quidem sufficiunt quinque sustentandis. Igitur hoc Collegium cogitur pauciores, per quindécim, singulis annis, sustentare Scholares, quam ante hujusmodi damna et censuum reductionem. Vide quae spectant ad hanc diminutionem in hoc Diurnali mense Junii anni proxime elapsi. Attendite obsecro qualis sit haec consequentia (quâ tamen utuntur omnes quotquot conqueruntur quod nullos sicut olim mittimus alumnos, vel studiosos, quibus suppleatur Seminarium Parisiense. Ex D. Smith et Ex D. Paston et praeses R.W. non ita pridem mittere solebant studiosos (viz 4 decem saltem annorum spatio) quibus suppletum fuit sufficienter seminarum S. Gregorii Parisiis: ergo potest Hodiernus Praeses si [p. 202] velit, eundem vel duplem vel triplicem numerum Studiosorû illuc mittere.

Respondeo 3tio in praesenti rerum statu, absque gravissimo damno et incommodo Collegium non posse ullos omnino alumnos sed neque alios studiosos bonae spei mittere ad alia quaecunque Collegia aut Seminarium, non solum ob prohibitionem factam a Summo Pontifice, quae, ut videtur, ex verbis Prohibitionum, nunquam revocabitur, sed ideo non possumus ullos illuc mittere, quia ob damna, quae passi sumus, nunquam sperare possumus plures hic nutriri, quam qui necessarii erunt ad suppleendum in nostro hoc Collegio numerum officialium, Professorum Theologiae Philosophiae et Scholarum in quibus docentur literae Humaniores, cum paucis missionariis, in Angliam suo tempore mittendis.

At inquit illi, qui rem satis attentè non perpendunt et qui ex bonâ intentione optant habere doctores Parisienses et conservari unionem inter antiquam matrem Coll. Duacenum et filiam ejus natu minimam. Potest Praeses Duacenus mittere Parisios interdum aliquos, saltem non alumnos et praeterea poterit Collegium (abstrahendo a Prohibitione, quae poterit aboleri) iterum habere eosdem alumnos, ut doceant et sint Professores in Collegio et cum majori laude, quando promoti fuerint ad Gradus in Academiâ Parisiensi, omnium in toto orbe celeberrimâ.

Fateor cum missus sum Duacum, jam fere a 20 annis, ut essem Praeses hujus Collegii, me fuisse ejusdem opinionis cum hisce viris bonis. putabam seminarium Parisiense fuisse, aliquâ saltem ex parte, neglectum a meo dignissimo Praedecessore mecum statui illuc mittere optimae spei, et praestantis ingenii juvenes, quod etiam coepi adimplere, mittendo ad istud Seminarium, primo R.D. Georg: Hind, alias Wakeman, et non multo post Mag. Matthaeum Beare, et Georgium Bishop de Brailles unumquemque eorum optimo ingenio praeditum, et ex nobili familia, idque cum non restarent duaci nisi quinque aut sex Theologi. vide hoc diarium. mussitabant interim nonnulli ex Senioribus, qui et mihi dixerunt, se audivisse Ex Dn Paston dicentem, se numquam iterum missurum optimae spei studiosos e collegio Parisiis. eo quod expertus esset gravia inde secuta incommoda. Et certe errat quisquis existimat Collegium iterum habere posse eosdem ad docendum, quoties Collegium eorum ope indiguerit primo enim nunquam vellent redire ad docendum litteras humaniores, hoc enim, ut mihi [p. 203] affirmabat superior istius Seminarii quando nuper fui cum illo Parisiis, minus honorificum reputarent, 2<sup>do</sup> nunquam docerent Philosophiam nisi immediate post assumptum Baccalaureatum, nec Theologiam nisi statim post doctor-



atum alio quovis tempore, si illorum forsitan ope indigeamus, venire non possunt. 3<sup>to</sup> hallucinantur planè qui sibi persuadent, illos qui mittuntur Parisios fore doctiores et magis idoneos ad docendum, quam si studia prosequerentur in Collegio duaci, cum consuetis exercitiis, et quotidianis poene Exercitationibus in Coll Duaceno: quamvis enim decem annorum spatium insumendum sit, antequam veniant ad doctoratum non habet tamen Parisiis, nisi tres tantummodo annos Theologiae, quibus vix tres accipiunt tractatus in Scholis, nulla exercitia publica, aut publicas propugnationes Thesium, non nisi unum actum pro Baccalaureatu: rarè habent exercitationes domi, quid agunt foris, num ad scholas se conferant, an plerumque ad alia loca nec illorum quidem superior novit. Habent praeterea duos annos, ut dicitur in *Licentiato*, et vices suas proponendi argumentū in Scholis; cum vero non tenentur disputare, sufficit illic esse per quadrantem, aut semihoram, frequenter visitant amicos, absentes toto tempore a Scholis. tres celebrant actus seu disputationes prolixas quidem, ante doctoratum more suo de tritis argumentis, non dubitandum quin sint non pauci docti et eruditi doctores Parisiis, sed aliud est affirmare hominem necessariò debere esse valde doctum, ut evadat Doctor Parisiensis. Certe liceat mihi affirmare, sine invidiâ multo majorem exigi probationem Lovanii et Duaci per tres illas acerrimas disputationes, quae fieri debent in eâdem Hebdomadâ, ad impediendum magnum numerum doctorum, in his duabus Academiis. verum, ut revertar ad methodum, et exercitia in ipso Collegio duaceno. nostri insumunt quatuor annos in addiscendo integro, ut dicitur, cursu Theologico, octo Tractatum in propriis scholis, dictatis a propriis magistris: singulis diebus disputant, aut defendunt Theologi per vices suas, a quibus nemo eximi poterit: singulis annis publicè et per Theses impressas, propugnantur Tractatus illo anno in Scholis nostris traditi, invitatis omnibus omnium ordinum magistris et doctoribus. Ante has publicas Defensiones fit repetitio in Scholis omnium Quaestionū et difficultatum in singulis Tractatibus, disputantibus magistris contra suos discipulos, praeter disputationes [p. 204] quae fiunt singulis Septimanis, die Lunae coram Praeside et senioribus et magistris Theologiae, et Philosophiae contra defendentem theologum, in his duabus Theologus 4ti anni (ut nunc soepe fit) judicatur idoneus ut Theologiam universam publicè propugnet exercetur a proprio Professore per 6 aut Septem menses, ter in Hebdomada, ipsi proponuntur praecipuae difficultates non tantum speculativae aut morales sed ex Scriptura sacra, Traditione SS<sup>is</sup>. Patribus, et Historiâ Sacrà, utiliori forte methodo et paulo strictiori et arctiori quam fieri solet Parisiis, non fusè et extra formam amplificando et discussendo more Concionatoris aut Oratoris, sed pressius urgendo difficultates methodo Syllogisticâ, ut luculentius appareant difficultates atque ut melius constet, an defendens probè sciat et clarè dissolvat unumquodq. argumentum ipsi propositum, per tres circiter horas mane, et totidem a meridie, disputantibus magistris et doctoribus non discipulis aut Baccalaureis tantum.

Futiles plane est calumnia Parisiensium contra nos, non doceri, non tradi a nostris nisi Questiones quasdam speculativas aut morales methodo Scholasticâ et minus utili. Legant (sicut legere solent)

scripta tradita, et dictata in nostris Scholis in quibus discutiuntur omnes praecipuae difficultates eo modo quo traduntur a Natali Alexandro in *Historiâ Ecclesiasticâ*, a sapientissimis D.D. Witasse et Tournelier etc. quorum libri nostris sunt familiares, legant Theses impressas duaci, audiant (sed hoc nobis nimium honorificum) disputationes, quae fiunt in publicâ Scholâ duacensi et Academicâ, cum theologi promoveantur ad Gradus Baccalaurei, Licentiatu, aut doctoratus, certe vix audient nisi difficultates ex Theologia, ut dicitur positivâ ex Scripturâ sacra, Traditione, et SS. Patribus, non omissis quae ad casus conscientiae et fidei controversias spectant. Fateor beneficii loco habendum esse, quod circa annum 1683 Regiâ Autoritate missi sunt duo aut tres doctores Parisienses, ut essent Regii ac public theologiae Professores in hac Academiâ duaci, videlicet Doctores Despalunges, Tournelier, ac postea Ithier, a quibus introducta est frequentior consuetudo tradendi, tractandi, ac disputandi ex Scripturâ, sanctis Patribus et Historiis Ecclesiasticis, quae antea non adeo communis fuerat, praesertim in omnibus scholis. at laudandi duacenses quod non adeo mutarunt methodum argumentandi et proponendi illas difficultates, servatâ formâ Syllogisticâ, quâ meliùs et utilius urgentur argumenta.

Docent nostri in Collegio Anglo-duacensi omnes Scholas et Classes intra proprios parietes; habent semper quinque Professores Scholarum infra Philosophiam, a primis Rudimentis ad Rhetoricam inclusive, cum maximâ procul dubio utilitate, tum [p. 205] magistrorum, tum Scholarum. duo sunt semper Philosophiae Professores, duo Theologiae, cum quotidianis disputationibus et exercitiis. Licet jam quaerere a quovis aequo rerum aestimatore a quovis competente, et literato Iudice, annon verisimile sit (modo sit aequalitas ingeniorum) aequae, aut magis idoneum fore ad docendum Philosophiam, illum, qui didicit, et cum laude defendit omnes Tractatus Theologicos, absoluto cursu Theologico 4 annorum, qui per annos aliquot docuit literas humaniores quam juvenem qui per triennium tantum scholas theologicas frequentavit, ac propugnata unicâ thesi et tractatu, factus est Baccalaureus. Iterum quaero an magis idoneus habendus sit ad docendam theologiam, qui duaci operam dedit, qui docuit per aliquot annos Philosophiam, an ille qui per tres tantum annos fuit Theologus Parisiis, et qui per alios duos annos in Licentiatu frequentavit Scholas, eo modo quo fieri solet Parisiis. Iterum quaerere debemus annon jure merito olim conquesti soepe sunt, et conquerendi justam haberent occasionem, si alumni nostri, semper educati eo modo quo dictum est in antiquissimo et celeberrimo Anglorum Collegio Duaci, excludendi forent a munere et honore, a beneficio docendi in suo proprio et materno Collegio, cum pensione annuâ satis honestâ, ut locus praeretur illis, qui educantur in novissimo Seminario Parisiensi. Quod si ad Gradus in Theologiâ promoveantur nostri, hoc non fit apud nos, nisi postquam docuerint alias Scholas, et Philosophiam et docere jam coeperint Theologiam.

At inquires, magnum et famosum est nomen doctoris Parisiensis et Sorbonici, Scio, scio bene; et olim apud exterarum nationes et praesertim Romae celebre et famosum meliori fama quam nunc temporis liceat hic in privato Diario, paulo liberiori mentem aperire, intelligo celebriorem



fuisse Famam Parisiensem, antequam favere incoeperant erroribus Jansenistarum et Quenellistarum, antequam condemnati fuerunt isti 40 doctores Sorbonici, ob casum conscientiae silentii *obsequiosi*, damnati in Bulla *Vineam Dni*: antequam tot doctores et Pastores, cum nonnullis Episcopis in Galliâ *appellationem* fecerunt a Constitutione dogmaticâ in Bulla *Unigenitus*; antequam ficta sunt illa ridicula miracula, quae patrata dicuntur apud Sepulchrum diaconi Parisiensis, apud S. Medardum, et a Presbytero, nescio quo, dioecesis Rhemensis; haec miracula juxta defensores Jansenismi, facta sunt *ad canonizandam doctrinam* Jansenistarum et *Appellantium* et *reappellantium*, a Constitutionibus Sedis Apostolicae, nominatim et speciatim, a Constitutione *Unigenitus*, receptâ ab Ecclesiâ Universali, toto orbe Catholico diffusâ; antequam vulgus Parisiis, et in multis Galliae Civitatibus, cum tanto contemptu loqueretur contra Papam, et Papalem Autoritatem, quasi obliiti essent ipsum esse Supremum Pastorem, successorem Sti Petri, et caput Ecclesiae Christi [p. 206] jure et Institutione divinâ, antequam denique tot scandalosae dissensiones ortae essent (et in praesentiarum vigent) excitatae a magistratibus civilibus Saecularibus, assummentibus sibi supremam quandam jurisdictionem in Spiritualibus, et impredientibus legitimam Jurisdictionem Episcoporum suorum in causis omnibus etiam Ecclesiasticis, et in personas Ecclesiasticas, reclamante Rege Christianissimo, ejusque Concilio, et soepius condemnante eorum scripta ac decreta.

Merito jam quaeri et accuratè examinari deberet a nostris Episcopis et superioribus in missione, ab amicis et Benefactoribus nobilibus, an (abstrahendo a praedictis Prohibitionibus) ageremus juxta Regulas prudentiae, et consuleremus bono cleri nostri, nostraeque missionis, si alumnos Collegii Duaceni quotquot sunt praestantiores ingenii, et nobiliores mitteremus Parisios ut vellent Seminaristae S. Gregorii ibidem educarentur, hisce praesertim temporibus an ut eosdem retineremus educandos et instituendos, in primo et antiquissimo Collegio Anglo-Duaceno. 2<sup>do</sup> an magis conducat ad bonum et honorem Cleri et missionis Anglicanae amplificari aedificia, et augere numerum eorum, qui educantur hoc tempore Parisiis, sive intra sive extra septa et confines seminarii S. Gregorii, sive alibi in Galliâ, praesertim dum adhuc sunt in scholis inferioribus; an potius optandum et conandum sit reparare, et augere aedificia, jam ad ruinam et interitum vergentia, Collegii Duaceni, et mittere ad idem Collegium filios suos, in tenera aetate, ut instruantur, non solû in scientiis suae aetati convenientibus, sed etiam, et praecipuè, in solidâ pietate, et in quotidianâ praxi et exercitiis Religionis sub oculis magistrorum et superiorum, intra domesticos parietes, ubi etiam habere possunt optimos magistros aliarum Artium, ut postea sub prudenti Tutore, ad alia loca mittantur: in Collegio vero et minoribus expensis, et multo utilius educabuntur et certè cum minore periculo perversionis fidei his novissimis temporibus, non solum in Angliâ, sed et in regnis Catholicis; incidimus enim, ut videtur, in illa tempora de quibus dictum est, *filius hominis veniens, putasne inveniet fidem?*

Respondeo ad priorem, salvo meliori judicio, nec mittere possumus alumnos studiorum gratiâ Parisios, nec permittere ut qui educantur Parisiis, huc revertantur ut doceant, quin statim clamitent Regulares

J. B. Fr.\* etc. Iansenismum simul cum illis introducendum; nihil hoc certius, cum notissimum sit, aliquos ex isto Seminario jam ab istis hominibus (licet absq. sufficienti fundamento) fuisse [p. 207.] vocatos Jansenistas. Et cum sine scrupulo hoc pronuntient, prima datâ occasione, non dubitabunt informare Sum. Pontificem aut Sacram Congreg: de periculo, ne Collegium hoc Pontificium brevi inficiatur erroribus Jansenisticis, et doctrinâ oppositâ juribus et potestati Sanctae Sedis, praesertim cum unus ex novissimis doctoribus,† qui hac ipsa die, 20 Martii an 1734 laurea doctoral<sup>s</sup> donandus dicitur, nuper docuit in thesi impressâ, auctoritatem Concilii Generalis esse superiorem auctoritati Summi Pontificis, et 2do dubium esse an Liberius Summus Pontifex subscripserit *primae*, an 2<sup>dæ</sup> *formulae Sirmiensi* quae posterior manifeste erat hoeretica. Quamvis ex his duabus assertionibus, non sequeretur novellum illum doctorem esse Jansenistam, tamen non possum non hic desiderare juvenis istius prudentiam. Suppono ipsum debuisse in suâ *majori ordinariâ*, inserere unam ex *quatuor Propositionibus*, ut vocantur, *Gallicanis* at quare non elegit (sicut eodem fere tempore Abbas Sti Victoris, filius Illustrissimi Ducis de Berwick et multi alii) propositionem illam, quâ negatur potestas Papae in temporalia Regum, et Regis deponendi, ut pote Sanctae Sedi minus odiosam? 2<sup>do</sup> quare in materiâ, ut omnes fatentur dubiâ, non elegit potius aut penitus omittere, aut defendere *Liberium* tantum subscripsisse *primae* formulae Sirmiensi, ut docent etiam celeberrimi Critici Natalis Alexander, Tilmontius, et Abbas Fleury in suâ Historiâ Ecclesiasticâ ut alios omittam. Prudentiam inquam illius desidero: imprudenter enim agere facillè convincetur, quisquis de Clero nostro Anglicano provocat sine causâ, contra se aut Seminarium in quo studet, sedem Romanam; immo qui absque causâ justâ et necessariâ provocat contra se greges Regularium, quos satis novit facillime credere, omnia fere Semina Parisiis, et inter alia, seminarium Anglorum, infecta esse erroribus Novatorum contra Sum. Pontificem, quos novit, vel propriâ suâ Experientia cognoscere posset, eosdem Regulares pronissimos esse ad calumnias et accusationes malè fundatas, contra omnes de Clero Anglicano. nonnunquam etiam cum ipsis sub generali quadam aspersione, involvunt Clerum Anglicanum Duacensem. *Curam habere* debemus *de bono nomine*, etiam apud invidos, et temerarios accusatores, quandoquidem nec Episcopos habere possumus in Angliâ nisi nominatos a Summo Pontifice, penes quem est substituere, vel viros de clero soeculari, vel Regulares, qui omni studio et vigilantia contendunt, et Sanctae Sedi representare non omittant; quanto melius sit nominare et habere Regulares, quasi magis devinctos et Sedi Apostolicae et Regi nostro. Quandoquidem penes Sum Pontificem sit, nominare, et quandocunq. ipsi visum fuerit, substituere Jesuita in locum hodierni Praesidis Colleg. Duaceni: et propterea ego libenter fateor me judicare haud tutum esse, vel studiosus hoc tempore mittere hinc studendi gratiâ Parisios, nec permittere [p. 208] ut Parisienses

\* Jesuitae, Benedictini, Franciscani.

† Dr. Joseph Holden, see C.R.S. XIX 127 and 131.



hic doceant Philosophiam aut Theologiam neque ut quovis modo gubernent aut dirigant nostros alumnos et Convictores. Hoc, inquam, nec tutum invenietur, nec fieri posse absque injuriâ nostrae famae, nec absque gravi periculo amittendi ex manibus nostris antiquissimum nostrum Collegium Duacense.

Et quis vel mediocriter studiosus famae nostrae patienter audire poterit hanc propositionem a nonnullis Fautoribus Seminarii Gregoriani, *mittere debetis alumnos vestros optimo ingenio praeditos, ut studia sua prosequantur Parisios, et ibidè promoveantur ad Gradus et doctoratum in Sorbonâ, habebunt postea licentiam redeundi, et docendi Philosophiam et Theologiam cum ipsis opportunum fuerit in vestro Collegio Duacensi.* Quod si hoc recuset Praeses Collegii Duaceni, nullos ad illud Collegium mittemus, nullam pecuniam, nulla praestabimus isti Collegio beneficia. debet etiam Praeses Collegii Duaceni, qui adeo aversus invenitur a Parisiensibus, eorumque doctrinâ, habere successorem, non de Collegio Duaceno, sed de Seminario Parisiensi, sicut aliqui proposuerunt et nominabunt unum aut alterum illius Seminarii, cum ego resignassem per voluntariam et sinceram dimissionem officium meum Sac. Congregationi.

O miseram et infœlicem conditionem communis matris Collegii Duaceni! O infaustum statum domus istius antiquissimae et celeberrimae, numero doctorum, missionariorum et Martyrum! juxta hoc, non paucorum ut fertur systema, vel concurrere debetis ad ruinam Collegii, *vel relinquetur domus vestra deserta.*

Floruit certè nuper Collegium Duacense numero majori Convictorum et alumnorum quam initio hujus saeculi, sub doctissimis Professoribus et magistris. Floret non minus hoc ipso tempore in optimâ disciplinâ et progressu in studiis. adsunt prudentes et idonei Superiores, Professores Theologiae, duo Eximii viri, doctores scientiâ Theologicâ insignes, duo Philosophiæ magistri doctrinâ et prudentiâ instructi, 5 Professores inferiorum Scholarum omnes ad docendas classes quibus praefiguntur idonei. tredecim Theologi ex quibus tres hoc anno electi sunt, ut publicè propugnent in fine anni Theologiam universam, decem alumni infra Theologiam. In Choro nostro Ecclesiastico sunt alumni Triginta sex, multo plures quam communiter inveniri poterunt, et multo plures quam possunt nutriri pensione Apostolicâ. In Collegio ut patet ex ultimâ Catalogo, mense Octobri erant 96 personae [p. 209] praeter novem vel 10 famulos, non 50 tantum personae ut falsò ubique fere publicarunt Jesuitae.

At quis unquam audivit talem propositionem facta a quovis Collegio alteri Collegio, saltem alteri Collegio Celebri, et in quo floresceret doctrina et pietas, *dabit nobis vestros Philosophos et Theologos praestantioris ingenii et optimae spei, et nos veniemus ut simus Professores Philosophiae et Theologiae*, pro quibus fundata est commoda admodum pensio annua quam habere cupimus. Hujusmodi propositio injuriosa primi et celeberrimi Collegii alumni non absque aliquâ indignatione ab omnibus nostris rejicitur. Nondum obliti sumus in antiquioribus Collegii Duaceni Regulis, formatis a Patre Pers[on]o et arte Jesuitarum, insertam fuisse ad nostrum dedecus hanc clausulam,

ut praestantior ingenii juvenes ad alia Collegia sub regimine Patrum mitterentur, et reliqui inferioris ingenii et capacitatis remanerent duaci, unde infame dictum, of Douay dunces. Reformatae sunt Regulae, deleta est illa infamis clausula auctoritate Sedis Apostolicae per Eminent. Protectorem Cardinalem de Norfolcia: consentire igitur dictae propositioni nobis factae a Fautoribus Seminarii Parisiensis quid est nisi praedictam infamiam magna ex parte renovare?

In mentem potius revocare oporteret famam nostri Collegii ab initio, et statim post foundationem Collegii Duaceni verè affirmare liceat conservatas fuisse reliquias Catholicae Religionis in Angliâ tempore Reginae Elizabethae, per clerum Collegii Duaceni. Hoc Collegium fuit omnium primum post defectionem Angliae a fide Catholicâ. primi missionarii Sacerdotes, primi operarii in hac vinea Anglicana, missi leguntur ex hoc Collegio. Inspiciuntur antiqua hujus Collegii *Hemero-logia* seu *Diaria*. Prima Institutio hujus Collegii facta a R.D. Gulielmo Alano an 1568\* primus missionarius an 1574 fuit Ludovicus Barlow Glocestriensi; primus in Angliâ Martyr, Cuthbertus Main Exoniensis dictus *Protomartyr*. Institutum fuit post Duacense 8 circiter annum Collegium Anglorum Romae, non pauci, fere centum ni fallar Sacerdotes, missi sunt ex nostro Collegio in Angliam ante omnes alio[s] sive saecularis Cleri, sive Regulares. primi duo e Societate Jesu, Edmund Campianus et Personius missi sunt in Angliam an 1580. initio 17<sup>mi</sup> saeculi profecti sunt in Angliam quidam Anglo-Benedictini, postea Franciscani etc. Anno 1619 numeravit hoc Collegium Martyres centum et undecim, et ab eo tempore crevit numerus martyrum ad 140 et amplius, plures certè quam numerari possunt ex omnibus aliis Collegiis et domibus Religiosorum seu Regularium etiamsi simul jungantur. Saepe leguntur simul fuisse in hoc Collegio Doctores quinque aut sex Sacrae Theologiae. vide in fine anni 1599 simul in Collegio habitasse. Exim D. Thom Worthington Praeside [p. 210] Ex. doct Matt. Kellison Vicep. Doct Laur Webb. Doct Gulielmum Harrison. Doct Edoard Weston Doct Matt. Bretton. vide praeclaram Relationem† foundationis, et fructuum hujus Colleg Duacensis missam ad D Chrysogonum Flaccum ab Ex. D Kellison an 1622 tunc Praeside, petente nuncio Bruxellensi. affirmat tunc temporis "ex hoc solo collegio missos fuisse mille circiter " Sacerdotes ex quibus 111 martyris fuerant coronati, praeter plurimos, " bonorum spoliatione, aerumnis, et carceribus confectos. Addit " hoc collegium, priusquam vel ex ullâ Religiosâ familiâ vel ex Societate " Jesu, ulli sacerdotes Angliam ingrederentur, centum et 5 sacerdotes " hinc illuc misisse et sexaginta ante quenquam ex alio quovis Collegio " apponit dende [sic] Catalogum Doct. Sac Theolog. qui, vel in hoc " Colleg: professores fuerunt vel in eodem doctoratus gradum acceperunt, vel in eo deniq. literis aliquando operam dederunt numerat " inquam ad id tempus doctores 33, tres doctores utriusq. juris adjicit " insigniores Scriptores 21.

Audeo affirmare et provocare omnes, ut diligenter et accuratè

\* By mistake written 1768 in MS.

† See *Third Douay Diary C.R.S.*, x 195-206.



examinent annon vigeant et floreat non minùs hoc tempore quam praeterito, disciplina Collegii, et Studium Theologiae, Philosophiae et litterarum humaniorum, cum studio linguae Graecae, Geographiae, plerumque et Historiae sacrae et profanae, additis et conductis, quando id conveniens judicatur, magistris musicae et saltandi artificiosae. Et tamen non desunt qui nostram minitantur ruinam, nisi, eo modo quo dictum est, mittamus optimae spei alumnos Parisios, et nisi permitamus, ut educati Parisiis, magisterium eripiant a nostris; etiam hoc tempore quando constat Parisienses, eorumq. doctrinam, in aliis locis, et regnis Belgii, Germaniae, Hispaniae, Italiae non adeo bene audire.

Interim dubito an tot nobiles et Sacerdotes sint contra me exasperati, ut aliis persuadere vellent aliqui ex seminario Parisiensi: nam literis ad me datis ex Angliâ, oppositum plane asseritur, ab illis qui probè scire deberent, Ego libenter praestarem, quicquid penes me est pro Seminario S. Gregorii Parisiensi, modo fieri posset absq. praejudicio et damno Collegii Duacensis, cujus hoc tempore curam gero.

At nunquid poterit Collegium Anglo-Duacenuñ mittere saltem aliquos ex suis interdum Parisios? Respondes me non posse mittere quenquam Parisiis, qui sit alumnus per juramentũ Collegii Pontificii: verum hoc poterimus facere in favorem Seminarii S. Gregorii, et hoc tantum . . . . mitti possunt, vel potius recedere a Collegio possunt, qui nondum sunt alumni Pontificis. de hoc illos admonui, cum essem Parisiis. curent ipsi, ut aliqui mittantur ad [p. 211] Collegium, et expensis Seminarii, vel amicorum ejus, sustententur et instruantur usque ad finem Rhaetoricae, nam Logicam et Philosophiam discant semper oportet Parisiis qui ad Gradus Theologicos illic aspirant. Ego ex parte mea promitto me nunquam illis persuasurum, nec directè nec indirectè, ut maneant, et praestent juramentum alumnorum apud nos. immo declaro me illos non recepturum, sed missurum Parisios sicut moneri deberent in Angliâ antequam huc accedant ad Classes inferiores. hâc methodo credo sufficienter suppleri posse Seminarium Parisiense: sed nesico quam ob causam, vel quo perverso animo, vel habere volunt nostros alumnos, vel nullos: vel suppleri volunt a nobis suo modo, vel nullo.

Quantum ad alia superius contra nos objecta, nempe a me et a nostris Professoribus mutatam esse antiquam Thomisticam doctrinam, nosque his ultimis 20 annis nimium addictos esse partibus et doctrinae Jesuitarum. Est mera calumnia, et absque omni fundamento. Legant tantummodo Theses quotannis impressas, et ipsi oculis suis videbunt, nos ab antiquâ nostrâ doctrinâ Thomisticâ, ne latum quidem unguem discessisse, neque in speculativis de Gratia, Praedestinatione etc, neque in moralibus. Scient profecto (sicut norunt omnes saltem in Hac Academiâ) et magistros et Scholares omnes in nostro Collegio, a Thomistarum partibus in omnibus stare, tanquam *pro aris et focis*. fateri vel inviti cogentur Parisienses, nos esse adversarios Molinismo et Jesuitarum doctrinae, quam quos maxime; omnes hic sciunt omnes nostros cum Dominicanis, cum Patribus Excalceatis Carmelitis, cum Professoribus Collegii S. Vedasti, esse unitos in eâdem doctrinâ, Thomisticas esse unitas copias cum ardentissimo zelo et fervore scholastico contra Patres Societatis et Professores Academiae, qui a morte Ex. D de la

Verdure, stare solent a Jesuitis. citent vel unam opinionem et Quaestionem in quâ mutata est a me vel a nostris Professoribus antiqua nostra doctrina Thomistica: et vel unam saltem citent Quaestionem, vel desinant ab istâ invidiosâ et ridiculâ calumniâ quâ nonnulli Parisienses, praesertim in partibus Angliae borealibus, de industriâ imponere student harum rerum ignaris.

Calumniantur praeterea, nos nimio zelo defendere Constitutionem Unigenitus. At quomodo nos, in Scholis praesertim, ubi haec tractanda sunt, nimio zelo defendere possumus Constitutionem in materiâ doctrinae *receptam ab universali Ecclesiâ* ut supra notatum est? receptam ab omnibus ubique terrarum Episcopis Catholicis? receptam ab omnibus jam Academiis nullâ exceptâ? receptam ab omnibus etiam Episcopis in Galliâ, saltem si tres vel quatuor excipias? quomodo nimio zelo condemnare possumus *Appellantes* ad Concilium ab hac doctrinâ ab Ecclesiâ diffusivâ receptâ? quomodo nimio zelo condemnare [p. 212] possumus fautores Jansenismi, aut illos, qui a modico tempore gloriari non erubescunt infami Jansenistarum nomine? Imo quomodo zelo condemnare possumus illos qui fidem adhibent ridiculis et fictis illis miraculis apud S. Medardum, factis a Deo, ut quidam homines, seu maliciosi seu ignari volunt et clamant, ad confirmandum doctrinam *Jansenistarum Quenellistarum, et Appellantium et reappellantium*?

Non consulerem missionariis nostris in Angliâ, rebus gravissimis occupatis, importunè inserere sermones inter Laicos de his Quaestionibus, de sensu propositionum damnatarum de sensu Authorum, sufficiat illis et aliis (qui libros de his argumentis conscriptos consulere et accuratè examinare nequeunt) obedientia et integra submitissio Ecclesiae et Sedi Apostolicae, cum ejus decreta sunt recepta et approbata ab Ecclesia. Quod si casu incidant in consortium illorum, qui loquuntur temerarie contra decreta ubique recepta, contra caput Ecclesiae, et sedis Apostolicae constitutiones *Vineam Dni* aut *Unigenitus*, qui loquuntur in favorem Jansenistarum et Novatorum, tunc quidem certe *non est tempus tacendi, sed loquendi*, ut obstruantur ora *Loquentium iniqua*.

De Infallibilitate ullo sensu Summi Pontificis non est necesse ut loquantur, cum non sit articulus fidei, sed opinio salvâ fide disputata a Theologis in scholis, similiter minime necessarium est loqui de superioritate vel Papae vel Concilii Generalis; multo minus de potestate Papae in Temporalia Regum aut Principum aut de potestate ipsos deponendi. Et certè gravissimam contra nos sparserunt Calumniam qui affirmabant hanc doctrinam de Papali Regû *depositione*, traditam fuisse, vel a me vel ab alio quovis Professore moderno in hoc Collegio. Hujus opinionis et doctrinae altum apud nos, et in nostrâ Academiâ Duacensi silentium. neminem unquam audivi de hac doctrinâ vel minimam facientem mentionem.

Quantum ad 4 Volumina de vitis SS. et appendices et notes impressas in illa volumina, fateor hic, et gaudeo me esse authorem illius libelli, sive Annotationum non tamen brevis *Praefationis* affixae illis Appendicibus, gaudeo inquam ob bonum et bonum nomen nostri Cleri Anglicani, Romae. Scio enim nobilem Anglum, cui multum displicebant multa contenta in illis 4 voluminibus, Romae conquestum esse talem doctrinam



editam fuisse a clero nostro, nemine ut putabat, de Clero nostro, improbante quicquam contentum et expressum in illis 4 volum. putabat et audierat authorem notarum esse ex ordine S. Francisci, vel Jesuitarum, sed cum certior factus est ipse et Agens noster Romae, me pro certò esse authorem omnium illarum observationum, hoc peropportunè accidet ad diluendam illam objectionem [p. 213] contra nostram clerum. Sed de his ut spero satis.

Die 21 hujus mensis martii accessit ad Collegium Carolus Cordel Londinis de media platea in Holburn.\*

Die 22 discessit in Angliam Joannes Needham Monmouthensis e Poesi.

Die 30 literis ex Anglia accepimus nuntium de morte Illustrissimi et Reverendissimi D.D. Bonaventurae Giffard Episcopi Madaurensis Vicarii Apostolici in Anglia, primò districtus ut dicitur mediis, deinde Londini et districtus Australis, Antistitis dignissimi, qui verbo et et exemplo, zelo et summa vigilantia Gregem sibi commissum gubernavit ab an 1688 usq. ad hunc annum 1734 i.e. annis 46, mortuus est die 12 hujus mensis stylo veteri i.e. dum in Anglia celebrabatur dies festus S. Gregorii Anglorum Apostoli, annos natus 93 aut 94, reliquit huic Collegii Cor suum sepeliendum in nostra Ecclesia in tesseram et testimonium sui erga Collegium amoris et benevolentiae cupiens et quasi praeciens ut sepeliretur cum hac tantummodo Inscriptione, *hic jacet Cor Bonaventurae Giffard hujus Collegii Alumnus*.

Eadem die accepimus tristem nuntium de subitâ morte Dni Thom. Chester, qui licet alumnus nunquam fuit hujus Collegii per juramentum a nostris praestari solitum, tamen hic didicit Philosophiam et Theologiam quam etiam universam, cum laude et magno applausu propugnavit, Praeside Exim. Dno Challoner. Mortuus est cadendo ex equo vel cum equo suo, dum esset magister equorum nobilissimi ducis de Norfolcia, cadendo fractum est penitus ejus cranium. Requiescat in pace.

Hac nocte solemnî ritu cantabatur officium defunctorum pro Rdissimo D. Episcopo Madaurensi, addita oratione pro anima Dni Thomae Chester.

[p. 214] Die 31 Martii cantabatur sacrum solemne a Dno Petre Vicepraeside pro anima Rdissimi Dni Bonaventurae Giffard, coeteris sacerdotibus pro eadem intentione celebrantibus.

#### April. 1734.

Die 21 D. Praeses profectus est Cameracum cum illis quos praesentare debuit Illustrissimo Dno Archiepo Cameracensi ad ordines suscipiendos.

Sabbato in vigilia Resurrectionis ordinatus est diaconus nobilissimus D. Bernardus Howard ex familia de Norfolcia dioecesis Parisiensis theologus 4ti anni.

Ad presbyteratum D. George Bordley Cestriensis.

D. Christophorus Gradell diocesis Cestriensis.

D. Albanus Butler diocesis Petroburgensis theologus quarti anni. promoti sunt. In festo Resurrectionis D. N. I. Ch. hi tres primitias

\* Son of Charles Cordell of Loudon and Hannah dau. of one of the Darells of Scotney Castle, Kent. By "media platea" is probably meant Middle Row which stood at the east end of High Street, Bloomsbury, not far from St. Giles's churchyard. Charles Cordell was born 1720, ordained 1744, died 1791. He was author of several works. See Gillow, *Dict.* i. 365.

suas Deo obtulerunt et in prandio versibus de more salutati sunt a Rhetoribus et Poetis.

*May, 1734.*

Accessit ad Collegium die 12 Georgius Newel Londinensis juvenis circiter annorum 17 ad Rudimenta.

Die 23 accessit e Collegio Scotorum in hac urbe jussu et rogatu Patris sui Gulielmus Rigg puer annorum circiter 15 ad Syntaxim cum esset Syntaxianus apud Patres Societatis in hoc oppido.

Die 24 accesserunt ad Collegium Osualdus Lancaster\* Lancastriensis annorum 18 ad Syntaxim. fuerat per paucos menses in novitiatu apud Patres Recollectos hic Duaci. Et Joannes Stanley† Darbiensis puer circiter 14 annorum ad rudimenta.

Dnus Praeses hoc mense Febri et Pleuresi graviter laborabat et viaticum receperat.

Juramentum alumnorum praestitit die 23 maii Joannes Dubord dioecesis Dunelmensis Rhaetor optimae spei adolescens.

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*June, 1734.*

Die 19 Sabbato 4 Temporum Pentecostes Cameracum cum Exim D. Thornburge ad ordines suscipiendos profecti sunt et promoti sequentes Alumni.

Ad Tonsuram et 4 minores ordines Henricus Maire de Harbusses, Thomas Wilson hic Clark Joseph<sup>a</sup> Barnes Theologi primi Anni. Item Hugo Kendal professor Rudimentorum, et Jacobus Brown. Idem Jacob<sup>a</sup> Brown Theologus 2di anni etiam ad Subdiaconatum et magister Ricard<sup>a</sup> Hendal‡ Acolythus ad Subdiaconatum, et dn<sup>a</sup> Gulielmus Grimalston ad Diaconatum.

Die 30 accessit Gulielmus Penington§ ex comitatu Lancastriae.

Die 26 habitae sunt disputationes Logicae P.R.D. Gulielm Green respondentibus mane Carolus Needham . . . . . Parry A meridie Gulielm<sup>a</sup> Steel . . . . . Busby.

*July 1734.*

Die 17mo|| habitae sunt disputationes in Universam Philosophiam Praeside R.D. Gulielmo Maire de Lartington respondentibus mane Jacobus Hodson a meridie Josephus Sall.

Continuatae sunt die sequenti mane respondente Graece et latine Ricardus Gant.

Die 16 huc accessit Joannes Trotter puer 12 circite annorum ad rudimenta.

Die 17mo accessit Jacobus . . . . . Lewis juvenis 24 annorum.

\* Born 1715, ordained 1741, confessor to the nuns at Dunkirk where he died 4 Nov. 1753.

† Son of Francis Stanley and Mary Haynes; born in Nottinghamshire (though here described as of Derbyshire) 25 May, 1720. He was never on the mission but after ordination in 1740 became confessor to the Augustinian Canonesses at Louvain where he died 1 Sept. 1770.

‡ *vere* Kendal.

§ Son of Thomas Pennington a tenant on the Dalton estate at Thurnham, Lincs. born 1718, ordained 1745, died 1793. See memoir C.R.S. iv 319.

|| This might be 16<sup>th</sup> or 17<sup>th</sup>, one figure being written over another.



Collegium nostrum in transitu invisit et in Refectorio nobiscum prandium sumpsit Illustrissim<sup>s</sup> Comes de Shrewsbury Talbot et cum eo R Dnus Hanmer alias Thompson ipsius Tutor.

Eodem die ad nos perlatum est Cor Reverendissimi et Illustrissimi Bonaventurae Giffard Epi Madaurensis.

Quod in medio nostri Sacelli et chori prope Presbyterium depositum fuit in loculo sub marmore cum hac inscriptione.



*Cor*

*Illustmi et Rdmi D. Bonaventurae Giffard,*

*Epi Madaurensis Vic Apost in Anglia.*

*Collegii Anglo Duac Alumni*

*Quod.*

*In perpetuam amoris ac Benevolentiae tesseram*

*dicto Collegio moriens legavit*

*Obiit die 12 Martii S.V. 1734.*

*aetatis 93.*

*July 1734.*

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Theses Theologicae de Deo uno et Ecclesia Praeside Exim. D. Georgio Kendall.

Die 19 Julii respondente mane D. Josephus Barnes Acolythus.

Horis pomeridianis Thomas Clark Acolythus.

Die 20 mane Henricus Maire de Hartbushes acolythus a meridie Turbervillus Needham Acolythus.

In Angliam vocatus a Patre discessit Gulielmus Rigg Syntaxianus.

Die 23 habitae sunt defensiones universae Theologiae Praeside exim Dn Gul Thornburge S. Th. doc et Professore respondente R.D. Albano Butler.

Die 24 D Bernard Howard de Norfolcia Thesis dedicata fuit nobillsmo Ed Howard Duci de Norfolcia etc.

Die 26 R.D. Christop Gradell.

Die 25 Juramentum alumnorum praestitit Jacobus Parkinson (hic Cottam) dioecesis Cestriensis natus die 24 Januarii S. veteri an 1718 Poeta bonae spei.

Dialectici hoc mense dialecticam inchoarunt sub magistro suo R.D. Thom Roydon.

Examinati sunt de more Scholares Rhaeticae, Poesios et Syntaxis.

*Aug. 1734.*

Die 1. obiit omnibus Ecclesiae Sacramentis rite et debito tempore acceptis Ludovicus Morgan Wallus Poeta.

Die 10. discessit Joan Tournier alumnus et Theologus jam 2da vice defectu Perseverantiae in statu Ecclesiastico fuit Acolythus sed non ausus est promoveri ad ordines Sacros.

Die 16 In Anglicanam missionem profectus est Ex. et R.D. Georgius Kendal qui post unum cursum Philosophiae decem annos docuerat Theologiam Sac Theol. Doctor et vere doctus praedicandi verbum Dei facilitate et in Controversiis instructus, admodum pius petiit et ei

datae sunt Facultates quæ concedi solent proficiscentibus in nostram missionem.

Eodem die cum ipso profectus est similiter in missionem cum Facultatibus ordinariis R.D. Thom. Atherton diocesis Cestriensis vir pius et satis doctus qui Theologus fuerat per annos 4 et hoc anno Praefectus musaei.

Die 15 Theologiae Professor constitutus est R.D. Gulielmus Green.  
[p. 217]. *Septemb. 1734.*

Die 14 accessit M. Georgius Butler magister Artium in Academia Cantabrigiensi, ad fidem conversus, Theologiae operam daturus.

Die 30 hujus mensis discessit Parisios Joan. Seaton dialecticus.

Die 24 hujus mensis [accessit] Jacobus Debord Dunelmensis ad Rudimenta.

Invisit nos in transitu Vice Comes et Vice Comitissa de Montague\* et hic prandium sumpserunt.

*Octob. 1734.*

Die 1mo post solemnem missam de Spiritu Sancto apertae sunt Scholae, habita oratione et Exhortatione ad Scholares in Aula Collegii majore a D. Praeside ad magistros et ad singulos Classes humaniorum literarum.

*Catalogus omnium in Collegio.*

*Seniores. 9.*

Ex. D. Witham Praeses S. Theol doctor.

R.D. Franciscus Squil hic Petre Vicepraeses Procurator et Confessarius.

Exim D. Gulielmus Thornburge Sac. Theol Doctor et Professor, Studiorum Praefectus et Confessarius.

R.D. Gulielmus Green. Sac. Theol. Professor.

R.D. Gulielmus Foster Confessarius ordinarius et Praefectus musaei.

R.D. Gulielmus Maire de Lartington Philosophiae Professor.

R.D. Thom. Roydon Philosophiae Professor.

R.D. Joan Wilkinson Praefectus generalis.

D. Thomas Stapylton Convictor.

*Professores humanistarum, 5.*

R.D. Georgius Bordley Rudimentorum Professor et Praefectus valetudinarii.

R.D. Christophorus Gradel Poesios Professor.

R.D. Albanus Butler Rhaetoricae Professor.

D. Bernardus Howard Grammaticae Professor.

M. Georgius Hardwick Syntax Professor, non alumnus.

[p. 218] *Theologi 14.*

R. D. Edoardus Daniel Sacerdos.

M. Georgius Butler Magister Artium Cantabrigiae.

Dnus Gulielmus Grimalston diac Vestiarii Praefectus.

D. Ricard\* Kendal Subdiac Culinae Prefectus.

\* Anthony Brown, sixth Viscount Montagu and his wife Barbara dau. of Sir John Webb, Bart., of Odstock, Wiltshire. In Burke's *Extinct and Dormant Peerages* he is confused with his son.



D. Joseph<sup>s</sup> Brown Subdiaconus.  
 Mag Turbervillius Needham Acolythus.  
 Mag Hugo Kendal Acolythus.  
 M. Josephus Barns Acolythus.  
 M. Thom. Clark acolythus.  
 M. Henricus Maire de Hartbushes Acolythus.  
 Jacobus Hodson Biblioth Scholarium Praefectus.  
 Joannes Horniold Alumnus.  
 Josephus Sale Alumnus.  
 Ricardus Gant Alumnus.

*Philos 1. anni, 5.*

Gulielmus Steel Alumn <sup>s</sup>	Joannes Bushby.
Carolus Needham.	Ricard <sup>s</sup> Bellew.
Thomas Parry.	

*Philos 2 Anni 8.*

Joannes Debord Alum.	Joan Bamber Alum.
Gulielm <sup>s</sup> Walton Alum.	Joan Cammock.
Thom. Daniel Alum.	Rob. Butler.
Thom. Grimbaldston Alum.	Petrus Waring.

*Rhaetores, 6.*

Thomas Golden Alum.	Thom. Shimel.
Jacobus Cottam Alum.	Carolus Howard de Norfolk.
Thom. Butler.	Edmund <sup>s</sup> Butler hic Blondel.

*Poetae, 10.*

Nicholaus White.	Georg. Trotter.
Georgius Danson.	Thomas Aston.
Edoard Worthington.	Joan Cotham.
Oswaldus Lancaster.	Jacob <sup>s</sup> Harrison.
Joseph <sup>s</sup> Walmesly.	Thom. Elms.

*Syntaxiani 10.*

Jacobus Slaughter.	Thomas Howard.
Joan Dunn.	Georgius Merry.
Edoard Daniel.	Thom. Garter.
Thomas Short.	Jacobus Petre vere Lewes.
Philip Carol Howard.	Joan Barister.

*Grammatici 10.*

Thomas Witham.	Georgius Haydock.
Georg. Anderson.	Gulielm Penington.
Thom. Cottham.	Carol Pendril.
Hugo Edmondson.	Michael Morrogh.
Jacobus Sherwood.	Georgius Newell.

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*In Rudimentis.**in 1 classe 7.*

Carolus Tighe.	Lucas Potts.
Joan Grainsborough.	Jacobus Sandford.
Joan Stanley	Georgius Rider (Ravenscroft).

*Christoph Layfield.**In 2 Class Rudim 7.*

Carolus Cordel.	Fran. Rider (Ravenscroft).
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Carolus Clifton hic Smallbones. Joan Trotter.  
 Philippus Wareham Jacob<sup>s</sup> Debord.  
 Conquest Convictor.

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praeter famulos 9 aut 10.

Observatio. Insinuatum fuit a nostris Fratribus nostris in Seminario S. Gregorii Parisiis, qui saepe conquesti sunt se non posse habere Studiosos, qui illuc studerent Philosophiae et Theologiae et in illâ Academia ad Gradus theologicos et ad Doctoratum promoverentur ab eo tempore, viz an 1719, quo per Summum Pontificem prohibitum fuit mittere alumnos Pontificios post praestitum iuramentum Pontificium, Parisios vel ad alium quemcunq. locum ut Philosophiae, vel Theologiae operam navarent: et simul prohibitum ne admitterentur ad Philosophiam vel Theologiam docendam in hoc suo Collegio Pontificio, qui alibi Philosophiam vel Theologiam didicissent. vide Has prohibitiones in hoc diurnali mense 7bri an. 1719. Iterum mense 9bri ejusdem anni vide Prohibitiones renovatas ab Innoc 13 an 1723 mense Aprilis a Cardinali S. Agnetis.

Insinuatum, inquam non semel fuit Superioribus et Amicis Seminarii Parisiensis, unicam methodum hoc tempore videri, ut Agentes et Amici dicti Seminarii eligerent bonae spei Adolescentes, ad vocationem Ecclesiasticum bene dispositos, quos certiores facerent, etiam antequam Duacum mitterentur, non esse voluntatem atque intentionem parentum suorum, ut permanerent Duaci usque ad finem suorum studiorum neque ut ibidem praestarent iuramentum ab alumni Pontificiis illius Collegii praestari Solitum; sed ut absolutis studiis humanioribus in Collegio Duaceno, tunc mitterentur Parisios ad Seminarium S Gregorii, ut ibidem ad Gradus Theologicos et ad ipsum Doctoratum promoverentur. Interim Praeses et superiores Coll. Duaceni promittunt, se nolle illis consilium dare nec illis persuadere, neque directe, neque indirecte ut permaneant Duaci, et ibidem fiant Alumni Pontificii.

Hoc interim observandum illos juvenes in literis Humanioribus debere sustentari expensis ipsius Seminarii Parisiensis vel expensis Parentum et Amicorum hujusmodi juvenum: non possunt autem, nec debent sustentari pecuniis provenientius ex aliqua fundatione factâ Collegio Duaceno pro [p. 220] nutriendis et educandis studiosis in Colleg. ipso Duaceno qui inde in missionem sunt profecturi. Sic enim injuria fieret Collegio et illis qui ex voluntate fundatorum in dicto Collegio educari debent et praeterea minueretur numerus missionariorum, cum Parisiis post absolutas literas Humaniores, mora decem annorum adhuc necessaria sit antequam mitti possint in Angliam.

Hoc tempore Epistolam recepit D. Praeses a quodam Vicario Generali, in partibus Angliae Borealibus, ab alumno hujus Collegio, a missionario celeberrimo et numquam satis laudato ob zelum et indefessos labores in missionibus, qui non tantum huic Collegio Duaceno, almae matri omnium Collegiorum sed et Praesidi moderno hujus Collegii semper fuerat amicitiae vinculo conjunctissimus, ut constare poterit ex beneficiis non vulgaribus in Collegium collatis. Hic tamen in animum sibi in duxerat *prohibitionibus* factis an 1719 a Summo Pontifice, ne alumni



Pontificii Collegii Duacensis, mitterentur vel Parisios vel ad alium quemcunq locum ut ibidem Philosophiam vel Theologiam addiscerent magna exorta fuisse incommoda, dissidia et dissentiones in clero nostro Anglicano; hinc diminutum fuisse numerum illorum, qui ex eo tempore educati fuerint in dicto Collegio: hinc praesertim diminutum fuisse numerum alumnorum et missionariorum nostrorum in Angliam; his deniq Prohibitionibus ascribendam esse deplorandam penuriam et paucitatem missionariorum Cleri saecularis.

[p. 221]. Die Accessit cum Patre et matre eorum tres juvenes [Thomas] Dillon et Joan Dillon et quidam Bellew.\* Et ad prandium sunt.

Circa diem 20 mensis Octobris missus est vineam Anglicanam R.D. Georgius Henricus Hedden absoluto quadriennio Theologiam [sic] et postquam docuerat Syntaxeos Scholam.

Initio mensis hujus Octobris arreptus est subita infirmitate Ex. D. Praeses adeo ut loqui non possit per aliquod tempus, fuit tamen toto tempore mentis compos, ambulare poterat privatus tamen loquelâ, nec liberû usû linguae adeptus est ad finem mensis, scribere autem potuit, et scripsit Epitolas non paucas.

*Anno 1734 mense 9bri.*

Juramentum alumnorum praestiterunt quatuor sequentes juvenes Joann. Busby† philosophus 2di anni dioecesis Perturburgiensi natus 11 febr. s.v. anni 1714 Philosophus 2di anni die 3 Novembris.

Thomas Shimel dioecesis Herefordiensi natus die 22 7bris s.v. an 1716 Poeta et inter primos. Joan Harrison‡ dioecesis Cestriensi natus 21 7bris s.v. an 1714 Poeta.

Et Oswaldus Lancaster dioecesis Cestriensi natus die 28 febr s.v. an 1715 Poeta et inter primos.

Juramentum praestiterunt die 3 Novbris.

Die 10 Accessit R.D. Joannes Leconby§ absoluto quadriennio Theologiae Romae apud nos pensionē solvit.

Eadem die accessit Thomas Pritchard ex Wolverhampton.

Eodem die obiit Thomas Elms optimae spei adolescens ad Poesim ascensurus, longe tabe consumptus omnibus Ecclesiae Sacramentis et ritibus debito tempore munitus.

*1obr. 1734.*

Die 6to accessit [Georgius] Freeman ex comitatu Waricensi 16 ann natus ad Rudimenta.

\* His name was John. Possibly he may be identified with John eldest son of Sir Edward Bellew, third Bart. of Barneath Castle, co. Louth, Ireland and Eleanor, dau. of Michael Moor, Esq., who succeeded to the baronetcy in 1741 and died unmarried 2 Nov. 1750.

† Born of a good family near Peterborough 11 Feb. 1714 (o.s), sacrificed a large fortune for his religion, ordained 1738, missionary at Grantham, Lincolnshire, V.G. to the Midland district, died at Barrowby near Grantham 3 April 1794.

‡ Son of John Harrison of Lea, yeoman and Elizabeth, dau of Christopher and Margaret Walmsley, b. 1714, ordained 1741, died 1781. See memo'r C.R.S. xv, 110.

§ Son of John White of Great Eccleston, Lancs. and Alice Southern, ordained at Rome 1733 missionary in Yorkshire and Lancashire. Died at Pontop, 7 Feb. 1778.

Ad ordines promoti sunt Atrebatii unus diaconus et 8 ad Subdiaconatum ordinem.\*

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Anno 1735.

Januar.

Die 7mo hujus mensis discessit ob valetudinem recuperandam Jacobus Gant vere Bamber Subdiaconus . . . . . obiit in Anglia.

Die ultma mensis invitati sunt ad prandium in nostro Collegio R. Pater Prior cum tribus ex Superioribus Monasterii S. Greg. Benedictinorum Anglorum. qui cum aequali numero ex nostro Collegio sumerent Charitativum Epulum ex Testamento et fundatione R.D. Ricardi Irelandi† his verbis in Testamento suo " Insuper rogo ut in charitate " et pace vivant cum Praeside nostri Collegii et vicissim rogo ut alter " alterum omnibus officiis charitatis praeveniant non solum lingua " sed re et veritate se invicem diligant, et ut hoc fiat peto ab adm R.D. " Praeside nostri Collegii ut singulis annis vel die anniversario mei obitus " vel quovis alio stato die adm R<sup>d</sup> Dnū Praesidem Benedictinorum cum " uno ex Monachis Senioribus ad prandium in Collegio nostro invitat " ubi simul et amice et modeste prandere possint. Hoc item peto a Rdo " admdu Praeside et venerabili Priore Benedictinorum ut reciprocis " charitatis officiis in hoc genere cum Praeside nostro et duobus aliis " a senioribus certare velint ut sic ex utraq. parte signa amoris et pacis " manifestari possint."

Et quamvis a multis annis redditus annui perierunt et nihil omnino solvatur in montibus Pietatis visum est aliquando renovare Prandiū in signum amicitiae.

Die 18 diem clausit supremum hujus vitae Serenissima Regina Magnae Britanniae Romae Maria Clementina Sobieski in odore Sanctitatis.

Februa 1735.

Nobilis dnus Georgius Bows de Bradeley cum filio suo Gabriel Bowes accessit ad Collegiū. Et quamvis neque pater, neque filius, 19 annorum juvenis, non fuerint Catholici, reliquit tamen filium educandum in nostro Collegio.

Die 15 Cantavimus officium defunctorum et missam solemnem pro anima Reginae nostrae defunctae 18 Januarii.

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Martii 1735.

Die 7 Martii in die S. Thom Aquinatis Lapis fundamentalis aedificii hujus Collegii Occidentem versus positus est ab Illustrissimo Comite Jo. Savage de Rivers Sacerdote et alumno hujus Collegii Praesid Ex. D. Rob. Witham Vicepraeside R. D. Fran. Petre qui curam gessit aedificii.

\* Collation with other passages in the diary secures identification of the deacon—the Rev. Richard Kendal—and seven of the eight subdeacons, Turberville Needham, Hugh Kendal, Joseph Barnes, James Hodgson, Joseph Sall, John Hornyold and Thomas Wilson *alias* Clarke. Probably Hodgson, Sall and Hornyold received the tonsure and minor orders on the same day as the subdiaconate.

† Headmaster of Westminster School 1590-1610. He became a Catholic and lived at Arras College, Paris. His will quoted above is dated 9 Oct., 1636. Though the diary styles him "Reverendus Dominus" it is not certain whether he became a priest. See Gillow, Dict. III, 550.



Die 11 Martii juramentum praestitit Carolus Needham Monmuthiensis dioecesis annos natus 18½ viz natus 2<sup>d</sup> die Novembris an 1716 dioecesis Landavensis 2di anni Philosophus optimae spei adolescens.

I Rob. Witham presid<sup>t</sup> of this Colledge received a letter from his Majesty King James dated Febru the 22<sup>d</sup> subscribed James R. and superscribed with his majestys own hand to D<sup>r</sup> Witham presid<sup>t</sup> of the English Colledge at Douay which is as follows, " I have at last obtain'd " from his Holiness a supply for the reparation of your Colledge, which is " to be taken out of what this Treasury gains by a Lottery, that is drawn " nine Times a year, and I hope before the present one ends, to be able " to send you the value of six thousand Roman crowns for the above " mention'd use, tho' I cannot be absolutly sure of it, because this summ " is not to be given all at once, and the Pope may die before it be " compleated. I could send you this money by Parcels, as I receive it, " or keep it by me till the whole summ of 6000 crowns be completed, so " that you have but to let me know in return to this, which you like " best, and it shall be comply'd with. I am glad of this occasion to " assure you of my good opinion et esteem for you, and that I shall be " very desirous of befriending both your self and your Colledge on all " occasions.

James R.

*My answer.*

*most Sacred majesty,*

I received the particular favour of your Majestys Letter of February the 22, when I durst not presume nor be so bold as to condole with your majestys Royal family for the loss of the best and most virtuous of Queens, [p. 224] who is generally canoniz'd by the voice of all people who had the honour to be acquainted with her majesty: and being now, as we cannot doubt of it in a state of happiness is in a condition to draw greater blessings than ever upon your majesty, and her and your two young Princes.

We were not wanting to keep the Queen's funeral service in as solemn a manner as the circumstances of the Place would allow.

At the same time I know not how to express the obligations that I and this Colledge have to your majesty who by repeated solicitations to his Holiness, has obtained for this Colledge a noble charity of six thousand Roman crowns towards renewing the decayed Fabrick of this first Colledge of your English nation after the unhappy change of Religion in your majestys dominion of Great Britain. By this benefit obtained by your Majesty we must not only henceforward look upon your majesty as our greatest Benefactor, but likewise in a great measure as the founder of this your Royal Colledge, which we beg leave to testify to future ages by putting up your majestys Arms, and I think no one take the least umbrage, that we put up the Arms of Great Britain in the usual manner. I dare be bold to say that that [*sic*] they who have had their education here during the 20 years, that I have been Superior have been bred up in the ciPrinciples of untainted Loyalty and a true zeal for majestys service. If our prayers have not been heard for a happy Restoration, we must look upon it as a punishment due to the sins of those of your majesties

subjects who made themselves unworthy of so great a Happiness, but we shall not despair but hope still that the Time of our deliverance is approaching.

I have as your majesty order'd me writt a Letter of B. Pritchard, in which you were graciously pleas'd to commend his zeal for your Royal Family, which I really believe will be unspeakable comfort to him, whatever success your majesty meets with in your endavours to procuring him a relief in present wants. Your majesty is also pleased to ask whether we would desire that [p. 225] the total subsidy should be remitted to our hands at the end of this year or by parcels, if it suites with your majesties convenience, as we are now begun to build it would be full as convenient to us to have it by parcels and Mr. Laurence Mayes can more conveniently return it by lesser sums. Our Prayers are daily and especially on Thursday continu'd for your Majesty's Health and happiness in this world and the next and for Royal Princes who are the admiration of all who have the happiness to have ever seen them,

From Your majesties,  
most dutiful  
and most obedient  
subject and servant,  
Rob. Witham.

*April 1735.*

Accesserunt duo juvenes Nicolas Porter (de S Malo,) et Petrus Creagh uterque ad rudimenta. accesserunt die 30 Aprilis de Civitate S. Maclovii.

Circa hoc tempus invisit nos et per diem mansit Illustrissimus et nobilissimus Vicecomes de Aston.

[p. 226] *May 1735.*

Die 20 hujus mensis Praesid R.D. Thom. Roydon Philos Professore habitae sunt disputationes Logicae respondentibus mane.

Thomas Daniel	{ A meridie }	Jacobus Chamook.
Joan Bamber.	{ eadē die }	Joan de Bord.

Sequenti die respondentibus.

Mane Thomas Grimbaldston	{ A }	Guliel Walton.
Petrus Waring	{ meridie }	Rob. Butler.

Die 24 accesserunt tres juvenes comitat<sup>u</sup> Eboracensis Marmadukus Langdale\* nepos Rdae matris Abbatissae Anglarum Dunkircae ordinis S. Clarae.

Thomas et Gulielmus Metcalf de Nuthill.†

*June 1735.*

Accessit Parisiis Jacobus Johnson vere Fairchild ad Rhaeticam Londinensis die 4to Iunii.

\* As Marmaduke was a very common name in both branches of the Langdale family it is impossible to identify this student without further information. All five peers who succeeded in the Langdale barony were called Marmaduke, and the name is found in the cadet branches of the family. The records of the Poor Clares at Dunkirk were lost so that no list of the Abbesses is available.

† Sons of Leonard Metcalfe of Nuthill in Holderness, Yorkshire, and Anne his wife. Leonard was brother of the Rev. William Metcalfe, a Douay priest; he was a nonjuror in 1717 and died in 1749. Thomas died at Pocklington without issue and William is not traced.



Sabbato 4 Temporum et 4ta Junii ordinatus est Atrebatî a Rdssimo Episcopo Atrebatensi a Francisco Baglion de la Salle, nob dnus Bernardus Howard Filius Bernardi Howard et reversus est eadem die.

Primitias suas obtulit Deo Idem R. adm. dnus, Dnus Bernardus Howard et salutatus carminibus more solito a Rhaetoribus et Poetis in Festo solemnî Corporis Christi.

Die 7<sup>mo</sup> in Festo Sti Roberti exhibitum est convivium generale pro omnibus in Collegio, invitatis duobus ex Franciscanis et Benedictinis Anglis et R. Patre Rectore Collegii Scotorum in hac urbe, expensis Dni Praesidis.

[p. 227] Die 13 discessit ex rudimentis avocatus a Patre in Hispaniam Joannes Crainsborough. Discessit 14 in missionem Anglicanam Joannes Leconby vere White Comitatus Lancastriensis post quam in hoc Collegio studiis theologicis per 11 menses incubuisset ut melius se praepararet ad missionem quod diligenter praestitit.

Die 21 hujus mensis iter suscepit D Praeses de consilio medicorum ad Aquas Spadenas, cum famulo Josepho Lalaine Collegii Promo. Accessit Joan Huddleston\* Jun. 28.

*July 1735.*

Disputationes Theologicae de Sacramentis sub. R. D. Gulielmo Green habitae respondente mane die 4 Julii Gulielm Grimbaldston, a meridie Ricardus Kendall.

Die 5 mane Jacobus Brown horis pom Josephus Barnes.

Die 6 mane Henricus Maire a meridie Ed. Daniel Sacerdos. Accessit die 9 Edm. Thorp eadem die Phil. Jones (Basset).

Defensiones in Universâ Theologiam Praeside Gulielmus Thornburge Sac. Theol. Doctore habitae sunt mane et horis pomeridianis Turbervillius Needham Subdiaconus. Missus in Angliam 18 Julii R.D. Edoardus Daniel missus Gulielmus Maire de largington Philosophiae Professor.

*Aug. 1735.*

Accessit Joan. Worthington (Ball)† die 3 Augusti.

Discessit Joan Conquest die 2 Augusti.

Discessit 23 Aug. Joseph Walmesly.

*7br. 1735.*

Die 1. 7bris accesserunt Henricus Doughty, Georgius Doughty et Philip Doughty‡ fratres ad Rudimenta.

Accesserunt cum Praeside reverso ab Aquis Spadanis Gulielmus Green (Alwyn)§ die 5to Septembris et Joannes Strickland|| puer 12 annorum.

\* Son of Henry Huddleston Esq. and Mary dau. of Sir William Gage, Bart. Born 4 April, 1723; died at Douay 10 Aug. 1742.

† Fourth son of Robert Ball of Scale Hall, near Lancaster and Winefrid dau. of — Taylor of Park Hall, Quernmore. Brother of Revs. George and Edward Ball. All three used the alias of Worthington. John was born 13 March 1722, ordained in 1746, chaplain to the Bishop family at Brailles for many years, confessor to the Augustinian canonesses at Bruges 1775-1778 and chaplain to Sir Richard Acton at Aldenham, Shropshire, where he died 6 Jan. 1781.

‡ The three eldest of the five sons of George Doughty Esq. of Snarford Hall, Lincolnshire, and Frances Cecily, dau. of Sir Henry Joseph Tichborne, 4th baronet. Henry the heir, succeeded his father in 1744 and married Anna Maria Byrom.

§ Eldest son of William Alwyn of Treyford, Esq. and Joyce, dau. of Robert Quesnell of Leghill, Surrey. He died unmarried 1737.

|| Son of John Mannock Strickland of Lincoln's Inn, conveyancer and Mary dau. of John Wright of Kelvedon, Essex: born 1723, ordained 1747, died 1802. See C.R.S. xix 140.

Die 6 discussit Thomas Parry absoluto cursu Philosop universae.  
Missus in Angliam R.D. Georgius Bordley die 13tio.

Accessit ad Collegium 14. Joannes Rokeby Accesserunt 4 Juvenes ex Anglia die 20 Joannes Sergeant\* ex Agro Lancastriensi, Rolandus Thornburge ex Westmorlandia,† Thomas Shepherd,‡ et Gulielm Fletcher§ ambo ex Agro Lancastriensi. Illustrissims Revrendiss Fran Episcopus Atrebatensis cum Vicario Gen. le Clerc. Dno Hattevielle et capellano suo, hospitium elegerunt in nostro Collegio a die martis Sept. 27 ad diem 1 Octobris.

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Octob. 1735.

Die 1 mensis Scholae sunt immutatae post missam solemnem de Spiritu Sto.

*Catalogus.*

*Seniorum 9.*

Ex. D. Praeses Rob. Witham.

R.D. Franciscus Petre Vicepraeses Procurator et Confessarius.

Exim D. Thornburge Sac. Theo. doctor et Professor et Confessor.

R.D. Gul Green Sac Theo Prof. Studiorum Praefec et Confessarius.

R.D. Guliel Foster Praefec musaei et Confessarius ordinarius etc.

R.D. Thom Roydon Philosophiae Professor.

R.D. Joannes Wilkinson Praefectus Generalis.

D.D. Albanus Butler Philosophiae Professor Praefectus 1 Bibliothecae.

Mag Thomas Stapylton Convictor.

*Professores 5.*

R.D. Christop Gradel Profess Syntaxeos Praef. Valetudinarii.

R.D. Bernard\* Howard Professor Grammatices.

D. Ricard\* Kendal Diac. Profess Rudimentorum.

D. Turbervillus Needham Subdia Prof. Rhaeticae.

Mr. Georgius Hardwick Prof. Poesios.

*Theologi 12.*

D. Gulielm\* Grimalston diaconus.

D. Jacobus Brown subdiaconus.

D. Hugo Kendal Subdiaconus Praefec dormitarii.

D. Josephus Barnes Subdiaconus.

D. Thomas Clarke Subdiaconus.

D. Jacobus Hodson Subdiaconus Praefec Bibliothecae.

Brown subdiaconu

D. Josephus Sall Subdiaconus Praef. Vestiarii.

\* Son of John Sergeant of Hessam Sike in Ellet, Lancs., and Dorothy Thornton. Born 1714, ordained 1744, died 1795. See memoir C.R.S. xvi 517, and Estcourt and Payne's *English Nonjurors of 1715*, p. 145.

† Roland Thornburgh from Westmoreland was probably of the same family as Dr. William Thornbury afterwards President, but his name is not found in the accounts of the family which are generally accessible. He died at Douay on 29 May the following year being then a little boy in the third School of Rudiments.

‡ Son of William Shepherd of Croxteth. Lancs. and Mary Blundell, born 28 Oct. 1720; ordained 1745; died at Nuthill in Holderness, 19 Jan. 1774.

§ William Fletcher was known always as Wilkinson. Son of John Fletcher of Denton's Green in Windle, Lancs., and Perpetua, dau. of Thomas and Dorothy Wilkinson of Cloughton. Born 1722, ordained 1746, afterwards V.P. of Douay and President of St. Omer's College, (1773-1787), died at Bath 24 March 1803.



D. Joannes Horniold Praefect Culinae.  
 Magister Henricus Maire de Hartbushes.  
 Mag Gulielmus Steel.  
 Magister Carolus Needham.  
 Magist. Joannes Busby.

*Philosophi 1 anni 8.*

Gulielmus Walton.	Petrus Waring.
Joannes debord.	Thomas Daniel.
Robert <sup>s</sup> Butler.	Jacobus Camock.
Thom. Grimbalston.	Joannes Barmberg.

*Philos 2 an. 7.*

Thom Golden.	Thomas Butler.
Jacobus Cotham.	Edm. Blundel (Butler)
Thomas Shimel.	Carls Howard.
Jacob <sup>s</sup> Johnson.	

*Rhaetores 7.*

Edw Worthington.	Joan Harrison.
Georgius Danson.	Nicholaus White.
Oswald <sup>s</sup> Lancaster.	Jacobus Cotham.
Georgius Trotter.	

*Poetas 11.*

Thom Aston.	Thomas Garter.
Thomas Howard.	Jacobus Slaughter.
Gulielmus Daniel	Philip Carolus Howard.
Joannes Dun.	Jacobus Petre.
Georgius Neuel.	Georgius Merry.
Joannes Banister.	

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*Syntaxiani 11.*

Thom. Witham.	Michael Murrough.
Gulielm Pennington.	Thomas Cotham.
Georgius Anderson.	Carolus Pendril.
Hugo Edmondson.	Georgius Haydock.
Jacobus Shernood.	Carolus Fletcher.
Christop Leyfield.	

*Grammatici 10*

Joan Stanley.	Georgius Rider.
Lucas Potts.	Edoard <sup>s</sup> Handford.
Carolus Tighe.	Jacobus Handford.
Carolus Cordell.	Joan. Wright.
Joan Bellew.	Joan Sergeant.

*In 1ma classe Rudimentorum 12.*

Carol <sup>s</sup> Smallbones.	Francisc <sup>s</sup> Rider.
Phillipp <sup>s</sup> Warham.	Thomas Pritchard.
Thomas Dillon.	Jacobus Debord.
Petrus Creagh.	Francisc <sup>s</sup> Trotter.
Nicholaus Perter.	Georgius Freeman.
Joan Rokeby.	Gulielmus Green.

*In 2da Classe Rudimentorum 6.*

Joannes Dillan.	Edmundus Thorp.
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Philippus Basset Jones.  
Gulielm<sup>us</sup> Fletcher.

Joannes Gage.  
Thom. Shepperd.

*In 3 Classe 8.*

Roland<sup>us</sup> Thornburge.  
Marmadukus Langdale.  
Gulielm Metcalf.  
Georgius Doughty.

Joannes Worthington.  
Thomas Metcalf.  
Henricus Doughty.  
Philipp<sup>us</sup> Doughty.

Omnes infra Theologiam 80.

Seniores Professores et Theologi 26.

Omnes omnino 106 omisso Georg. Butler.

Invisit Collegium in fine Septembris R.D. Ricard<sup>us</sup> Kendal quondum Theologiae in hoc Collegio Professor discessit die . . . . . 9bris.

Die 11 Octobris discessit D. Georg Butler quondam minister pseudo-Ecclesiae Anglicanae: discessit autem re infecta ad quam venit, neque juramento Collegii, neque ullis ordinibus susceptis.

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*Novembris 1735.*

De Par le Roy Universitas Duacena et omnia ac singula Collegia et Seminaria jussa sunt reddere et exhibere rationem omnium fundationum ad pios usus pertinentium. Itemque rationes sumptuum suorum in particulari etc., quinto loco citatus ad eundem finem D. Franciscus Petre tanquam Administrator bonorum ad Collegium Anglo-Duacenum spectantium, fuit illo tempore Vicepraeses et Collegii Procurator.

Juramentum alumnorum praestitit Thomas Butler Lancastriensis dioecesis Cestriensis natus die 10 Aprilis St. Nov. an 1716 20 annos natus anno proximo Rhaetor inter primos.

Et Edoardus Ball Lancastriensis dioecesis Cestriensis natus die 5to Aug. St. no. anni 1717 Poeta inter primos annos natus 18 anno proximo.

*Decemb. 1735.*

Juramentum alumnorum praestitit Jacob<sup>us</sup> Kamock dioecesis Rhodemagensis philosophi 2<sup>di</sup> anni natus 18 mensis\* 7bris 1717 natus 18 annos ab 18vo 7bris ultimo elapsi.

Die 1<sup>mo</sup> hujus mensis aufugerunt duo in Rhaetorica quorum nomina nihil attinet dicere. Ad reducendum illos missus est R. Dnus Thom Roydon qui assecutus est alterum apud S<sup>am</sup> Audomarum et alterum apud Watten, domum Socittis J. Anglorum debuissent procul dubio certiores Jesuitae facere Praesidem hujus Collegii, quod minime fecerunt. Intentio ipsorum erat fugere in Angliam dummodo possint pecuniam habere. Singularem industriam et prudentiam usus est D. Roydon.

Sabbo 4 Temporum ordinati sunt Atrebatenses a Rdissimo Franc. Baglion de La Salle Episcopo Atrebatensi.

Ad presbyteratum Ricard<sup>us</sup> Kendal et Gulielm<sup>us</sup> Grimbaldston dioecesis Cestriensis e comitatu Lancastriae.

Tres ad diaconatum promoti . . . . . Hodson Joseph Sall et Joan Horniold Duo ad Subdiaconatum D. Thom. Stapleton Convictor et Henricus Maire alumnus Tres promoti ad Tonsuram et 4 minores ordines.

\* Written *Tamsis* in the MS. It was first written *tensis*, and then wrongly corrected by misplacing the *m*.



Gulielm<sup>s</sup> Steel Joan Busby et Carol<sup>s</sup> Needham.

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Anno 1736.

Jan. Februar.

Discessit Thomas Aston filius Vicecomitis Aston die 29 Jan.

Februar.

Accessit die 6 Februarii [Carolus] Bournningham Londinensis.

Disputationes Philosophiae naturalis Praeside R. Thoma Roydon.

Die 7<sup>ma</sup> feb mane Thom Daniel Joan Bamber Eodem die horis pomeridianis Gulielmus Walton Thomas Grimalston.

Die 11<sup>mo</sup> Martii.

Juramentum Alumnorum praestitit Gulielm Daniel dioecesis Cestriensis e comitatu Lancastriae Poesi operam dans natus die 1<sup>mo</sup> Julii s. novo habens annos 23 die 1<sup>mo</sup> Julii proximi singulari devotioni et humilitati deditus et inter primos in classe sua optimaе spei adolescens.

die 12 Georgius Newell petiit ut jungeretur Alumnis nostris sine juramento eo quod provisus esset Ecclesiastico Beneficio in Portugallia, et cum esset sobrius et bonus adolescens petitioni illius annuit Praeses non vulgando quod non esset alumnus nostri Collegii per praestationem juramenti.

Die 17 Recepit ordinem diaconatus D. Thom Stapylton non alumn<sup>s</sup> virtute dimissoriarum ab Revdsmo Episcopo Williams in dist Boreali Angliae.

Discessit die 14 Aprilis [Thomas] Garter e Poesi et cum eo reliquit Collegium [Jacobus] Fairchild, alias Johnson e logica.

Accessit Henricus Graham juvenis 15 annorum; cum eo advenit ad Collegium in comitatu Pater ipsius.

Accessit Xeley\* Eboracensis de Bradford prope Civitatem de Leeds juvenis 19 annorum. Discessit ad Semin Parisien nob D. Carolus Howard filius nobilis vere Bernardi Howard 16 April.

Discessit 16 aprilis discessit Nicolas White de St. Malo magnae spei juvenis ex Rhaetica.

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Maii 1736.

Familia H<sup>b</sup>ilis Philip Howard de Norfolcia† reliquit Castellum nostrum de Coutich post moram ibidem septem aut 8 mensium.

Diem supremum hujus vitae mortalis clausit Jacobus Camock alumnus hujus Collegii in 2<sup>do</sup> Philosophiae anno juvenis optimaе spei et ingenii, tabe consumptus omnibus Ecclesiae Sacramentis mature et in tempore munitus pie admodum obiit et cum signis singularis pietatis die 21 Maii an 1736.

Accesserunt quatuor juvenes die 29 Maii Georg. Meynil de Aldbrough‡ nob. ad Rudimenta.

\* So written for Exley. John Exley alias Errington was son of Leonard Exley of Bradford, Yorkshire and Mary Rathmell: born 18 May, 1716, and ordained 3 September 1748. He died near London 18 May 1778.

† Brother of Edward ninth Duke of Norfolk.

‡ Son of George Meynall of Aldborough and Elizabeth dau. of George Cockson of Cold Pighill Durham and nephew of the Rev. James Meynell. He died in Jan. 1749 being the last male representative of this branch of the family.

Robert<sup>a</sup> Johnson<sup>a</sup> ad Rudimenta e comitatu Dunelmensi Thomas Gibson et Nicholaus Gibson† fratres ad Rudimenta e comitatu Northumbriae. Obiit 29 maii Man. Roland<sup>a</sup> Thornburge in rudimentis.

*Jun. 1736.*

Accessit secunda vice die 8<sup>va</sup> Junii Joan Seton ad Theologiā.

Accessit Briand<sup>a</sup> et Gulielmus Salvin‡ de Croxdale Fratres ad Rudimenta.

Et eadem die Henricus Edmonson§ Lancastriensis Accessit Josephus Berington|| de Mote-hall.

Et eadem die Joann Wolfall Lancastriensus Jun. 12 Profectus est D. Praeses ad aquas de Spa. Discessit ob valetudinem Philip Doughty.

Disputationes logicae Praesid R.D. Albano Butler Philos Professore die 9 Iunii Edmund<sup>a</sup> Blundel (Butler) Thomas Golden. Ead. die horis pomer. Thom. Butler, Jacob<sup>a</sup> Cotham.

*July 1736.*

Habitaē sunt disputationes publicae de Gratia Justificatione et merito et de virtutib Theologicis Praesid R.D. Gulielmo Green Sac Theol Profess. respondentibus die 2<sup>di</sup> Julii Nor. m et D. Hugo Kendal Subdiac.

Eadem die a mat: D. Joseph<sup>a</sup> Barnes Subdiac die 3 mane D. Thomas Clarke Subdiac.

Eadem die a meride Henricus Maire Subdiac.

Die 4 mane Gulielmus Steele Acolythus.

Eadem die Jacob Brown Subdiaconus.

Habitaē sunt disputationes de Philosophia Universa Praeside D. Thom Roydon respondentibus septem die undecim Julii.

Mane Thomas Daniel Lancastriensis Eadem die A meridie Thomas Grimalston.

Die 6<sup>to</sup> Junii accessit cum D. Ricardo Kendal nobillissimus puer 8 Annorum Anton. Brown¶ unicus filius Vicecomitis de Montague vel Montis Acuti.

\* Son of Ferdinando Johnson of Middleton in Teesdale, Durham, and Frances dau. of George and Mary Thornburgh. After ordination about 1753 was appointed headmaster of the preparatory school at Esquerchin near Douay. Kirk says he was a missionary in Lancashire. Died at Dodding Green, Westmorland, 2 June 1799.

† The two eldest sons of Jasper Gibson of Stonecroft Durham and Margaret dau. of Nicholas Leadbitter of Nether Warden near Hexham, who had twenty-one children among whom were two bishops Mathew and William and two priests George and Richard.

‡ Second and third sons respectively of Bryan Salvin of Croxdale Esq., and Ann dau. of William Haggerston Esq. Bryan was born 27 Sept 1722 and died unmarried 21 May 1744. William, born 28 Nov. 1723, married first Mary dau. of Sir Edward Gascoigne, secondly Catherine dau. of Thomas Thornton Esq. He succeeded to the estates in 1751 and died 20 Jan. 1800.

§ Son of Richard Edmondson and Helena Beesley his wife. Born at Broughton, Lancs., 2 Feb. 1723; ordained 1747, missionary in Lancashire till 1756, then confessor to the Benedictine nuns at Dunkirk where he died 12 Oct. 1785.

|| Son of William Berington of Mote Hall, Shropshire and Mary More his wife.

¶ Hon. Anthony Joseph Brown, son of Anthony Brown sixth Viscount and Barbara dau. of Sir John Webb of Odstock, Wiltshire. Born 11 April 1728, succeeded as seventh Viscount Montague 1767, married Frances Lady Halkerton, dau. of Herbert Mackworth Esq. Died 9 April 1787. In Burke's *Extinct and Dormant Peerages* 1831 he is confused with his father.



[p. 233] Continuatae defensiones Philosophiae mane Rob Butler Lancast.

13 mane Joan Bamber a meridie Joan Debord.

14 mane Petrus Waring a meridie Gulielm Walton Cum magno omnium applausu.

Accessit Gul. Pryean (Anderton) die 22 Julii.

Die 17 Julii dimissus est Jacobus Lewis e poesi.

*Aug. 1736.*

Die 18 Aug. reversus est a Spa D. Praeses cum eo accessit Joan Milner ad Rudimenta.

Die 12 Julii discessit Jacob Debord Dunelmensis. Invisit nos in Itinere Romam versus Rdissimus D. Matt Pritchard Epus Mirinensis.

*Septemb, 1736.*

Discessit Jacobus Sherwood Londinensis. Profectus in missionem die 11 hujus mensis D.D. Gulielmus Foster, postquam functus esset per tres annos munere Praefecti Generalis et per duos ann. officio Praefecti musaei et Confessarii.

Cum eo profectus est in missionem R.D. Christophorus Gradell de Barblesmore qui propugnat universam Theologiam et docuerat per duos annos litteras Humaniores.

Discessit cum eis Edmundus Butler hic Blundel nob. hibernus ex Logica quam defenderat.

Die 12 accessit cum Patre suo D. Morin, Anton Morin puer infra annos 9 ad Rudimenta.

Die 21 accessit Robert<sup>s</sup> Alwyn (hic Green)\* ex Sussexia educatus in Religione Protestantium ad Rudimenta.

Die 24 tertia pars studiosorum infra Theologiam sumpserunt prandium suam et manserunt una nocte in domo nostra rurali vulgo De La Croix.

Die 25 alia 3tia pars nempe Poetae Syntaxiani et Gramatici fecerunt similiter.

Die 26 Omnes e Rudimentis qui erant in fine hujus anni triginta et novem simili gaudebant privilegio.

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*Octob. 1736.*

*Catalogus omnium in Collegio.*

*Seniores 8.*

Ex. D. Witham Praeses.

R.D. Franciscs Petre Vicepraeses.

Ex.D Gul Thornburgh. } Theologiae

R.D. Gul Green } Professores.

R. D. Thom Roydon } Philosophiae

R. D. Alban<sup>s</sup> Butler } Professores.

R. D. Jo Wilkinson Praefectus Generalis.

D. Thom Stapylton Convictor.

*Professores 6.*

R. D. Gul Grimbaltston Praefectus Musaei.

R. D. Bernard<sup>s</sup> Howard de Norfolcia prof Syntaxios.

R. D. Ricard Kendal prof. Rudim.

\* Second son of William Alwin of Treyford, and Joyce, dau. of Robert Quesnell of Leghill, Surrey. He married Mary, fourth dau. of Stanislaus Brown of Eastbourne.

D. Turbervill Needham Sub. Pro. Rhae.  
 Mag Georgius Hardwick prof. Poes.  
 Mag Rob. Butler Prof. Gram.

*Theologi 18.*

D. Jacob <sup>s</sup> Hodgson diac.	}	
D. Joseph <sup>s</sup> Sall Diaconus.		
D. Joan Horniold Diac.		
D. Jacob. Brown theol emeritus.		
D. Hugo Kendal.	}	Subd.
D. Joseph <sup>s</sup> Barnes.		
D. Thomas Clark.		
D. Henricus Maire de Hartbushes.		
Mag Joan Busby.	}	Acolythi.
Mag Gulil Steel.		
Mag Carolus Needam.		
M. Guliel Walton.	}	Alum. Convictor.
M. Joan Seaton.		
M. Thom. Daniel.		
M. Emir Grimbaldston	}	Alumni.
M. Joan Bamberge.		
M. Joan Debord.		
M. Petrus Wearing Convictor.		

*Philos. 2di Anni 4.*

Thomas Butler alum.	Thomas Golden alumni.
Jacob <sup>s</sup> Cotham.	Thom Shimell.

*Logici 6.*

Georgius Danson.	Carol Phil Howard.
Edoard <sup>s</sup> Worthington alum.	Georgius Trotter.
Oswaldus Lancaster alum.	Joan Harrisso Alum.

*Rhaetores 7.*

Jacob <sup>s</sup> Slaughter.	Guliel Daniel alumn.
Joan Dun.	Georgi <sup>s</sup> Merry.
Thomas Howard.	Joan Banister.
Georgi <sup>s</sup> Newell.	

*Poetae 9.*

Thom Witham.	Gul. Pennington.
Thom. Cotham.	Carol Pendrell
Georg Anderson.	George Haydock.
Hugo Edmonson.	Carol Fletcher.
Christop. Leyfield.	

*Syntaxiani 11.*

Joan <sup>s</sup> Stanley.	Joan Whright (Strickland).
Lucas Potts.	Joan Sergeant.
Carol Tighe.	Edoard <sup>s</sup> Handford.
Carol Cardel.	Jacob <sup>s</sup> Handford.
Joan Belew.	Joan Errington (Exley).
Georgius Rider.	



*Grammatici* 11.

Carol Smallbone.	Joan Rokeby.
Philip Warham.	Thom. Pritchard.
Thomas Dillon.	Joan Trotter.
Petrus Creagh.	Georg Freeman.
Nic Porter.	Gul. Green.
Gul. Anderton.	

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*In 1ma. classe Rudimentorum* 11.

Henricus Graham.	Joan Gage (Huddleston).
Fran. Rider.	Gul. Fletcher (Wilkinson).
Joan Dillon	Thom Shepherd.
Edmund* Thorp.	Joan Worthington (Ball).
Phil Basset (Jones).	Thom Metcalf.
Car Shelden (Bourningham).	

*In 2 et 3 Classe Rudimentorum* 16.

Marmaduk* Langdal.	Henricus Edmaindson.
Gulhelm Metcalf.	Nicholaus Gibson.
Georg. Meynill.	Joan Milner.
Brian* Salvin.	Henricus Doughty.
Thom. Gibson.	Georgi* Doughty.
Rob. Johnson.	Joan Lancaster.
Josep Berington.	Rob. Green.
Anton Morin.	

Item R. D. Ricard° Kendall olim Theol. Professor.  
Et ejus pupillus nobilissimus D. Brown Convictores.

Numerus 110.

absq. 10 famulis.

*In festis Remigialibus.*

die 1 Octob.

Apertae sunt Scholae Humanistarum per R. D. Green Praefectum  
Studiorum et S. Thol. Professorem nec non unum ex Confessariis  
Collegii.

Professores Philosophiae. R. D. Thomas Roydon et Albanus Butler.

Hâc diem concessit ex consuetudine Recreationis post missam solem-  
nem de Spiritu Sancto quam cantavit ipse Praeses.

Die 2da concessit etiam diem Recreationis quam concessit gratia  
D. Morin Patris pueri 8 annorum qui duxerat ipsum ad Collegium.

Collegium invisit nobilissim\* Philipp\* Howard\* Frater unicus ducis  
Norfolciae cum hærede ejusdem familiae nobilissimo puero Thom.  
Howard de Norfolk et una cum nobili Coniuge de Stonor et sorore  
conjugis etc.

Juramentum alumnorum praestitit in festo St. Caroli Borrom, Jacob\*  
Slaughter\* dioecesis Herefordinsis an natus 24. In Rhaetorica et inter  
primos bona Indole et ingenio praeditus.

Accessit ad Collegium . . . . . Bokin† hic Butler natione Hiber-  
nus.

\* Philip Howard married Winefrid dau. of Thomas Stonor of Watlington Park,  
Oxfordshire, and their son Thomas here mentioned was heir presumptive to the  
dukedom of Norfolk which he did not live to inherit. He died 1763.

† Bodkin—see p. 213.

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*Novemb. 1736.*

Juramentum praestitit die 4 Novem. Jacobus Slaughter In Rhaetica inter primos optimae spei bono indole et ingenio Praeditus.\*

*Decemb. 1736.*

Sabbato 4 Temporum die 22 decembris promoti sunt ad sacros ordines octo hujus Collegii Atrebatensis conferente ordines Francisco de Baglion de la Salle Episcopo Atrebatensi.

Imprimis ad Subdiaconatum Guillmus Steel Acolythus dioecesis Eboracensis, et Joan Busby Acolythus dioecesis Petrobrugensis.

Ad diaconatum Thomas Wilson hic Clark subdiaconus dioecesis Litchfieldensis et Henricus Maire Subdiaconus dioecesis Dunelmensis.

Ad sacrum presbyteratus ordinem Thomas Stapylton convictor virtute literarum dimissoriarum a Reverendissimo William Episcopo Tiberiopolitano Vicario Apostolico pro districtu Angliae Septentrionali assumpto ex ordine S<sup>u</sup> Dominici, examine facto a Dno Praeside ex Commissione Episcopi Atrebatensis Et Jacobus Hodgson diaconus dioecesis alumnus hujus Collegii.

Et Josephus Sall diaconus dioecesis Waterfordiensis in Hibernia, alumnus hujus Collegii per dispensationem concessam ab Eminentissimo Protectore.

Et Joan Horniold diaconus dioecesis Vigorniensis.

Omnes hi sacerdotes 4. primitias suas offerebant Deo opt max in festo Nativitatis per cantum solemnem ritu R. adm dñus Jacobus Hodgson media nocte, et Joan Horniold mane hora 10<sup>ma</sup> reliqui duo nocte Nativitatis sine cantu.

Dñs Bowes cum uxore sua venerunt ut inviserent Filium suum jam ab anno conversum ad Catholicam Fidem.

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*Anno 1737.**Januar 1737.*

Ann 1737 die primo mensis juramentum praestitit Georgius Merry in Rhaetica inter primos singulari pietate praeditus bonae spei juvenis natus an 1715 Apl. 11 stylo veteri Dioecesis Lichfieldensis ex comitatu Darbiensi bonae spei juvenis annos natus 21.

Die 7<sup>ma</sup> mensis ob infirmā valetudinem mutavimus D. Tubervillum Needham Professorem Poesios† hoc anno et in locum ejus substituimus Mag. Joan Debord Theolog primi anni, D. Needham profecturus est Subdiaconus in Angliam bonae spei juvenis reversurus ex Anglia recuperata sanitate aut in Angliam forte recepturus ordines Diaconatum et Presbyteratum.

*Februar. 1737.*

Die 2<sup>mo</sup>‡ mensis juramentum alumnorum praestitit Georgius Anderson Poeta et primus inter Poetas dioecesis Cestriensis in comitatu Eboracensi in Richmondia natus circiter diem 19nam Martii an 1718 optimae spei adolescens.

In transitu Collegium visitarunt per dies aliquot nob. Joannes et Thomas Belson qui olim studiis in hoc Collegio operam dabant.

\* This entry is duplicated.

† In the lists for the year he is described as master of Rhetoric.

‡ The reading is uncertain.—E.N.



*March 1737.*

Ad Collegium accesserunt duo juvenes aetatis alter 17, et alter 16 ex Hibernia cum patre nomina eorum Georgius et Dudleius Johnson vere Bourn.\* Discessit Georgius Trotter Dunelmensis Philosophus primi anni.

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*April 1737.*

Ad ordines minores et Tonsuram promoti sunt die 20 Aprilis, conferente ordines Reverendissimo Episcopo Mirinensi apud Recollectos Anglos Joan de Borde professor Poeseos Thomas Daniel, Emir Grimbaldston, Gulielmus Walton dioecesis Cestrienses omnes praeter primum qui est dioecesis Dunelmensis.

Accessit ad valetudinem recuperandum R. D. Thomas Winckley Confessarius Clarissarum Anglarum apud Donkeram et mansit circiter mensem.

*May 1737.*

Hospitabatur apud nos Reverendissimus et Illustrissimus Episcopus noster Fran Baglion de la Salle a 6to die mensis usq. ad duodecimā quae fuit Dom 3 post Pascha, cum Vicariis suis Generalibus, Dno de Boiseau et dno le Clercq. et uno Capellano.

Die 13 Maii profectus est R. D. Praeses ad nostram villulam de la Croix cum duobus Theologis, ut frueretur aere Ruris et ut comitaretur D. Ricardum Kendal cum juvene perillustri Brown filio unico vicecomitis de Montagu et mansit ibidem duabus fere Septimanis, reversus die 24<sup>to</sup> Maii.

Hac tempestate plures periculosi decumbebant infirmitate pleuretica et febribus nullus tamen obiit nisi famulus noster Alexander Whright qui vivebat in oppido cum uxore sua. Discessit Carolus Bowes hic Fletcher(?) in Angliam

[p. 239] Die 31 Maii habitae sunt disputationes de Actibus humanis et Incarnatione praeside Exim D. Gulielmo Theologicae Thornburge S. Theol. doct. et professore.

D. Hugo Hendal† Subdiaconus Eodem die a meridie D. Gulielmus Steel Subdia.

*June 1737.*

Continuatae sunt disputationes circa eandem Thesem praeside eodem Mag. Carolus Needham Acolythus A meridie R.D. Jacobus Hodson Sacerdos.

Feria 2<sup>da</sup> die 3 Junii D Praeses dedit prandium celebrando commemorationem S. Roberti Patroni praesidis omnibus in hoc Collegio, et Illustrissimo et Reverendissimo D. Matthaeo Pritchard cum suo Capellano R. Patri Middlemore Praesidi apud S. Bonaventuram et Fratri Bonifacio Sympson, R. D. D. Thomae Winckley Confessario Clarissarum apud Donkeram, et Tribuno militum D. Comerford alias Brooks, etc.

Die 4to habitae sunt disputationes Logicae praesid Rdo Dno Thom Roydon.

Respondentibus 4 defendentibus mane Simone Ball hic Worthington

\* In a later entry this name is given as Byrne.

† So written for Kendal.

et Carolus Howard de Graystock a meridie Georgius Danson et Ambros. Butler vere Bodkin.

Venit huc ut avunculum inviseret Joan. Witham de *Witterslack* et *Preston* quondam Studiosus, filius Marmad. Witham fratris Dni Praesidis.

Reversus est Donkerkam versus R. Dn. Thomas Winckley confessorius Clarissarum.

Die 9<sup>na</sup> Junii juramentum alumnorum praestitit Petrus Waring Theologus primi anni Dioecesis Cestriensis natus die 3<sup>to</sup> Junii 1712 annos habens 25 bonae indolis et bonae spei adolescens.

Die 15 Junii Accessit Francis Kenedy\* ad Rudimenta in 2<sup>da</sup> classe.  
[p 240] *June et July 1737.*

Die 16 Junii Dom Trinitatis post meridiem Praeses profectus est Insulas, die sequenti Courtracum, et sequenti die Brüllas, et accessit sequenti mane Lovanium ad Moniales Anglas.

Die 20 in festo Corporis Christi sacrum Solemne cantavit, sicut et in festo SS. Petri et Pauli, et dom. in dedicatione Ecclesiae Lovanii apud moniales Anglas.

Propugnata est Universa Theologia Duaci Praeside Exim Dno Gulielm Thornburge S. Theol doct et Professore, respondente die 17 Julii, ad medium 9<sup>ae</sup> et post meridiem hora 3<sup>tia</sup> D. Henricus Maire de Hartbushes Diac.

Item continuatae sunt eadem disputationes respondente Thom. Wilson diac mane et post meridiem 19 Julii.

Eadem disputationes continuatae sunt die 20 Julii mane et post meridiem respondente Joseph. Barnes Subdiac: Hi tres Theologi in nostro Collegio eodem anno et mense. omnes cum magno applausu.

Die 14 Julii nobilis Adolescens Gulielmus Constable† de Burton Constable filius per-illustris D . . . . Tunstall et M . . . . . Clifford qui cognomen accepit de Constable accessit autem Juvenis ad finem Classis Poesios.

Die 8<sup>va</sup> Julii discessit nobilis Carolus Howard de Greystock Philosophus primi anni.

Accessit seu reversus est Joan Roberts (Bosville) ad Logicam.

Accessit die 26 Julii Joan Lodge‡ ad Rudimenta.

Accessit die 31 Julii Rob. Hodgson ad Rudimenta.

Die 15 Julii habitae sunt defensiones in Philosoph universam Praeside, R. D. Albano Butler respndent Thom Golden 15 et meridie Thom. Shimel et die 16 Jacob Cotham.

Discessit Gulielm<sup>s</sup> Green (Alwyn) die 25 julii.

[p. 241] *August 1737.*

die 1<sup>mo</sup> Aug. accesserunt ad Collegium quinque juvenes Thomas

\* Son of Robert Kennedy and Jane Reed. Born in London Oct. 1723; ordained 1748, for many years confessor to the nuns at Rouen where he died 3 July 1791.

† The eldest son of Cuthbert Tunstall (who took the name Constable on succeeding to the Burton Constable estates in 1718) and Amy dau. of Hugh, third Lord Clifford of Chudleigh.

‡ Son of Joseph Lodge of All Saints, Pavement, York, "haberdasher of hats and Jane Moulder his wife. Born 15 Oct. 1722, ordained 1746, elected a capitular 1770, missionary at Sheffield and afterwards at Durham where he died 3 Nov. 1795.



Barrow de comitatu Northumbriae Franciscus et Henricus Bishop\* de Brailes in comitatu Warvicensi—Petrus Beeston† et Franc Hind‡ de comitatu Lincolnensi; omnes ad Rudimenta.

Die 2<sup>da</sup> Augusti habitae sunt disputationes Theologicae de praeceptis decalogi Praeside R. D. Gulielm Green Theologiae professore respondente M. Thom Daniel ad med 19 matutinae.

Eadem die ad medium horae 3 Thomas Grimbaldston uterque acolythus.

Continuatae sunt eadem disputationes die 3 respondente hois matutinis Gulielms Walton Acolythus.

Et horis pomeridianis Gulielmus Steel subdiaconus.

Discesserunt Joan Errington Fran. Rider die 12 Augusti.

Reversus est ad Collegium Ex Dn<sup>o</sup> Praeses et cum eo venit nos invisorus D<sup>o</sup> Rob. Hills missionarius.

Nos invisit die 15 Aug. D. Edoardus Markham de Claseby et de Olerton.

Discessit Clifton alias Carolus Small-bone die 8<sup>va</sup> Augusti.

Discessit Parisios ad Sem. Anglorum Georgius Danson prima die Augusti.

Eadem die discessit in oppidum Dnus Ricardus Kendall senior et praeceptor nobilissimi pueri Antonii Brown, filii unici nobilissimi Vicecomitis de Montague seu Montis Acuti.

[p. 242]. *Septemb. 1737.*

Discessit missus in Angliam Rd. Joannes Horniold de Blackmore park in comitatu Wigorniae expleto triennio Theologiae quem futurum bonum missionarium speramus.

Accessit James Gage et Thom Thorp.

Accesserunt ad Collegium 2<sup>da</sup> vice Joannes Bamber ad Theologiam de Agro Lancastriensi, qui discessit in Angliam ad recuperandam sanitatem die 25 Sept<sup>bris</sup>.

Eodem die cum ipso reversus D. Gabriel Fletcher vere (Bowes) ad Philosophiam.

Eodem etiam die Gulielmus Gandt de Singleton§ Et etiam Edwardus Elms vel Helmes de Lea|| prope Sanwick commendatus a Dno Bordeley ex nostris missionariis in Lancastria.

Die 28 reversus est recuperata valetudine D. Tubervillus Needham Subdiaconus ea intentione ut literas humaniores doceret viz. Scholam

\* Sons of Mr. Bishop of Brailes. On leaving Douay Henry joined the Irish Brigade and fought at the battle of Fontenoy where he was struck but not wounded by a bullet. In consequence of this preservation he joined the English Franciscans at Douay. In later years he served the missions of Baddesley Green and Wooten Wawen. He died 19 June 1811.

† Son of Peter Beeston of Irnham, Lincolnshire and Jane Pennythorne his wife, and brother of Rev. George Beeston, born at Irnham 23 July, 1727; ordained about 1750, taught at Standon Lordship school for many years and afterwards at Sedgeley Park, Caputur in 1762, finally missioner at Wolverhampton where he died 26 Nov. 1767.

‡ Born at Corby about 1725, ordained 1749; died 5 Dec. 1810. See C.R.S. xix 135.

§ Son of William Gaunt of Great Singleton Lancs., and Jane Jackson his wife. Ordained 1747, missioner in Lancashire, apostatised, became an Anglican minister and died "depressed with melancholy" in 1773.

|| Son of Edward Helme of Lea, Lancs., tanner, and Elizabeth Barton his wife. Ordained 1748, priest at Manchester till his death, 16 Oct. 1773.

Rhaetoricae et promoveretur ad sacros ordines diaconatus et presbyteratus, discesserat ad recuperandum sanitatem die 7 Januarii hujus anni.

Accesserunt ad Collegium cum eo tres juvenes omnes ut opinor ad rudimentum Franciscus Dun ex comitatu Northumbriae,\* Reginaldus Williams, et Gualterus Williams uterque ex Wallia.

[p. 243]. *Octob. 1737.*

In festis Remigialibus Scholae Philosoph et literarum humaniorum apertae sunt a R. Dno Green Praefecto Studiorum et Theologiae professore.

Die 3 profectus est missus in missionem Anglicanam R. admodum Gulielmus Grimalston diocesis Cestriensis ex Agro Lancastriensi fuit per annum praefectus musaei.

*Catalogus omnium in Collegio.*

*initio mensis Octbris an 1737.*

*Seniores 9.*

Ex D. Witham Praeses.

R. D. Fran. Petre Vicepraeses et Confessarius et Procurator.

Ex D. Gulielm Thornburge Theol. Professor et Confessarius.

R. D. Gulielm Green Theol. Prof. Praefectus Studiorum et Confessarius.

R. D. Thom Roydon Philosophiae Professor et Confessarius.

R. D. Joannes Wilkinson generalis Praefectus.

R. D. Albanus Butler Logicae Professor Confessarius et Sacristiae Praefectus.

R. D. Thom Stapylton Convictor.

R. D. Bernard Howard Convictor.

*Professores 9.*

[*In margin* Profess et Musaei Praefectus 6].

R. D. Ricardus Kendal Musaei Praefectus.

R. D. Guillm Grimalston missus in Angliam die 3 Oct an 1737.

R. D. Jacobus Hugson Sacerdos Theol 4ti anni et theologus.

R. D. Joseph Sall Theol 4ti anni.

D. Turbervillus Needham Sub: Rhetoricae Profes.

D. Josephus Barnes Subd Profess Poesios.

D. Mag Rob. Butler absq. ordinibus Profess Syntaxeos.

D. Gulielm Maire de Harbuses diac. Prof. Grammaticae.

D. Thom Clark diacon Prof Rudimentorum.

*Theologi 20.*

D. Jacobus Brown Subd Theologus emeritus.

D. Hugo Kendal Subd Theologicus anni.

D. Joan Busby Subdia Theol 3<sup>iii</sup> an.

D. Gulielmus Steel Subdia. 3<sup>iii</sup> anni.

Mag. Georg. Harwick ex professor Theol 1<sup>mi</sup> anni.

Mag Carolus Needham 3 anni.

Joannes Seaton 2di anni.

\* Son of Robert Dunn and Elizabeth Gibson. Born 25 Feb. 1722 s.v.; ordained priest 1748, chaplain to Nathaniel Piggott F.R.S. Died at Whitton, Middlesex, 19 Feb. 1757 (C.R.S. xii, 9).



[p. 244]. M. Gulielmus Walton theolus secundi anni.

M. Thomas Daniel theol 2<sup>di</sup> anni.

M. Thomas Emir Grimbaldston 2<sup>d</sup> anni.

Joannes Bamberg, primi anni theologus.

Mag Joannes Debord theol primi anni.

Petrus Waring theol 2<sup>di</sup> anni.

Thomas Golden Theol 1<sup>mi</sup> anni.

Jacobus Cotham 1<sup>mi</sup> anni.

Thomas Shimel 1<sup>mi</sup> anni.

Thomas Butler theol 1 anni.

*Philosophi 4.*

*2<sup>di</sup> Anni Philosophi.*

A. Edoard<sup>s</sup> Worthington. Bald. Ambros Butler (Bodkin).

A. Oswaldus Lancaster. A. Joan. Harrison.

*Philosoph 1<sup>mi</sup> anni 9.*

Joan Roberts (Bosvill) Georg. Merry. A.

Jacob Slaughter A. Georg Neucl.

Joan Dun. Joan Banister.

Thom. Howard de Greystock. Carolus Fletcher.

Gul. Daniel, Alumnus.

*Rhetores 9.*

Thomas Witham. Gulielmus Pennington.

Thom. Cotham. Carolus Pendrill.

Georg. Anderton Alumn. Georgius Haydock.

Hugo Edmonson. Christop Leyfield.

Gulielm Constable.

*Poetae. 10.*

Joan. Stanley. Joan. Wright.

Luc. Potts. Georg. Rider.

Carol. Tighe. Joan Sergeant.

Carol. Cordel. Edward<sup>s</sup> Hanford.

Joan. Belew. Jacob. Hanford.

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Philip Warham.

Thom. Dillon.

Petrus Creagh.

Ricard<sup>s</sup> Porter.

Joan. Trotter.

*Syntaxiani 9.*

Joan Rokeby.

Georg Freeman.

Gulielm Anderson Prujean.

Thom. Pritchard.

*Grammatici 15.*

Henricus Graham. Thom. Shepherd.

Edmund<sup>s</sup> Thorp. Joan Worthington (Ball).

Joan. Dillon. Thom. Metcalf.

Philip. Basset (Jones). Carol Sheldon (Burningham).

Joan. Gage (Huddleston). Georg. Meynil.

Joan Lodge. Brian Salvin.

Gulielm. Wilkinson (Fletcher). Gulielm Salvin.

Josep Berington.

*In prima Classe Rudimentorum. 9.*

Jacob. Gage. Henricus Edmundson.

Marmaduk* Landgille*	Fran. Kenedy.
Georg Johnson.	Thom. Gibson.
Robert Johnson.	Joan. Milner.
Gulielmus Metcalf.	

*in 2da Classe 19.*

Dudlius Johnson (Birn)	Guliel Gant.
Nicol Gibson.	Thomas Thorp.
Rob. Johnson Hodson.	Fran. Dun.
Joan. Lancaster.	Anton Morin.
Henricus Doughty.	Reginald* Williams.
Georg. Doughty.	Gualterus Williams.
Fran. Hind.	Thom. Barrow.
Rob. Green.	Petrus Beeston.
Edw. Helm.	Fran. Bishop.
Henricus Bishop.	

Personae omnino 118 in habitu Collegiali.

Famuli 10.

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*Octob 1737.*

Die 15 mensis et reversus est ad Collegium Jacobus de Bord Dunelmensis ad Rudimenta vel ad principium Grammaticae.

Discessit et profectus est Dnus Jacobus Brown Londinensis Subdiaconus ad Seminarium Atrebatense absoluto cursu Theologiae, ob defectum diligentiae in observanda disciplina Collegii die 16 Octob 1737.

Accessit die 21 ad Collegium Josephus Kelly Hibernus de Dublinia.

Accesserunt die 26 Magister Heylin† qui per 5 annos studuit in Collegio Anglicano Romae, inde discessit circa Festum S. Joan. Baptistae et accessit ad nostrum Collegiū commendatus ab Illust et Rdsimo Episcopo Petre, et Ex Dno Challoner ejus Vicario Generali.

Cum eo accessit ad Collegium Jacobus Dixon;‡ commendatus a Dno Roydon Vicario Generali in Lancastria.

Et Jacobus Purcelthwait§ Lancastriensis commendatus ab eodem D. Thom Anderton missionario.

*Novembris 1737.*

Die 3 Juramentum alumnorum praestiterunt tres juvenes studiosi. Joannes Dun Philosophus primi Anni dioecesis Cestriensis natus die 27 Jan. styl veteris an 1717 adeo annos natus 19 proxima St. Chrysost die anni 1738.

2. Gulielmus Penington in Rhaetica natus die 9<sup>ma</sup> jan. s.v. adeo annos natus 19 proxima die 9 Januarii an 1738 dioecesis Cestriensis.

\* So written for Langdale.

† John Francis Heylin son of James Heylin of Bristol and Catherine Johnson; born 1715 entered Eng. Coll. Rome 12 Aug. 1732. Ordained 1739. Probably the same as "Mr. James Heylin" priest who died in London 8 May 1735 (C.R.S. xii 8.)

‡ Son of Arthur Dixon and Eleanor Keen. Born in Lancashire; ordained 1745, afterwards chaplain to Mr. Tunstall at Wycliffe, Yorks, where he died 23 Nov. 1759.

§ James Postlethwaite, son of Richard Postlethwaite of Westby, Lancs, yeoman, and Anne Newsham his wife. His brothers John and Thomas became priests and Henry died a deacon at Douay in 1753. After his ordination he was first headmaster of Standon Lordship school in 1749. He became chaplain at Clints Hall, Lancs., where he died 1 Feb. 1781.



3. Christophorus Layfield dioecesis item Cestriensis, natus 27 Septembris stylo veteri 1713 adeoque Annos natus 24.

[p. 247]. Die 22 mensis ex Anglia reversus est post mensem unum et alterum R. D. Thomas Stapylton ad mensam Seniorum.

Die 24 mensis die Dominica Juramentum alumnorum hujus Collegii praestitit Joannes Bosvill (hic Roberts) dioecesis Landafiensis in Wallia, natus anni 1716 styl v. die 4to Maii adeo habens annos aetatis anno proximo et die 4to Maii annos 22. Philosophus anni primi primus vel inter primos in omnibus Scholis seu classibus, pius prudens et optimae spei adolescens.

Die 27 accessit ad Collegium Jacobus Barley puer 12 annorum ad Rudimenta.

Discessit Carolus Burningham hic Sheldon ex Grammatica.

Ad ordines promoti sunt Atrebatii Sabbato 4. Temporum in Festo S. Thom. Apostoli ad Subdiaconatum Thomas Daniel Theologus 2<sup>d</sup>i Anni ad diaconatum Joan Busby Theologus 3<sup>u</sup>i anni et Turbervillus Needham ex Theologis. Professor Rhaetoricae Thomas Wilson Ad Presbyteratum (hic Clark) Professor Rudimentorum.

In die Nativitatis Dni missam solemnem Cantavit.

In die Nativitatis reversus est ex oppido ad Collegium R. D. Ricardus Kendal cum pupillo suo nobilissimo Antonio Brown filio unico vicecomitis Montis Acuti.

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1738.

*prima die Anni et mensis Januarii*

Juramentum alumnorum praestitit Hugo Edmondson diocesis Cestriensis ex agro Lancastriensi, natus die 13 februarii an 1715 in Anglia, juxta Emendationem Greg. 13 an 1716 adeoque habens in mense februario proximo an 22 in schola Rhoetoricae bonae spei juvenis.

*Aprilis 1738.*

die 2<sup>da</sup> hujus mensis juramentum alumnorum hujus Collegii Pontificii praestitit Georgius Shuttleworth comitatus Notinghamiae diocesis Eboracensis in Rhoetorica pietate et regulari disciplina Rigidus observator, praestitit autem juramentum die 2 Aprilis an 1738 natus die 5<sup>to</sup> Septbris an 1719.

Invisit nostrum Collegium et ibidem celebravit Communionem Paschalem nobilissim<sup>us</sup> et Illustrissimus Comes de Stafford illum comitabatur Tutor, seu Gubernator suus R. D. Mullineux.

[*Dr. Witham's handwriting ceases, and the Diary is continued by the Rev Francis Petre (vere Squibb) Vice-president and Procurator, who continues it till 29 September 1747.*]

*Maius 1738.*

Die 10 accessit ad Collegium Jo: Owen.

Die 13 Maii ad Collegium accessit Iva: Brewer Eboracensis grammaticae operam daturus.

Die 29 Pie Obiit Ex. D. ac Mag. Noster D. Robertus Witham, S. Facultatis Duacensis Doctor Theologus et hujus Collegii Praeses meritis-  
simus, omnibus ecclesiae Sacramentis Rite munitus, aetatis suae anno 70 Praesidentiae 24. Sub cujus regimine floruerat plurimum hoc Collegium R. I. P.

Eodem Die Camaracum ad Ordines Respective Recipiendos profecti sunt (vi praesentationis quam chirographo suo obsignaverat praedictus praeses die 27 praecedente) sequentes Alumni pontificii viz Petrus Waring Dioec. cestriensis, Jacobus Parkinson. Tho: Parkinson: Thomas Worswick Dioecesis item Cestriensis et Tho. Shimmel Dioec Litchfeldiensis ad primam Tonsuram et quatuor minores Ordines Magistri Carolus Needham Dioe. Landavensis Joa: Heylin Dioec Bristolensis. Emir Grimbaldston Dioec; Cestriensis Joa Debord Dioec Dunelmensis: Guli. Walton Dioec Cestrensis hi quinque ad sacrum subdiaconatum. Jacobus Brown Dioec Londinensis Jos: Barnes Dioec Carliolensis; Guliel: Steel Dioec Eboracensis Tho Daniel Dioec Cestrensis hi quatuor ad sacrum Diaconatum Turbervillus Needham D. Londinensis: Hen: Maire Dioec: Dunelmensis Joa Busby Dioec Petroburgensis hi tres ad Sacrum Presbyteratum. Quos omnes Sabbato ante Dominicam SS. Trinitatis ad supradictos respective ordines promovit Illus ac Rev. Archiepus Camaracensis.

[p. 249]. Eod die 29 Maii a meridie Cantatum est officium Defunctorum pro anima Defuncti Praesidis.

Die 30 Maii pro anima praedicti eximii Domini Praesidis sacrum solenne cantavit Rev: D. Fra: Petre (verè Squibb) hujus Collegii Vicepraeses eodemq. die Corpus Supradicti eximii Praesidis cum debito honore in ecclesiâ Parochiali sepultum est.

Die 31 decessit Ambrosius Butler.

#### *Junius.*

Die 1 hujus mensis Jacobus Talbot\* (ex Comitibus de Shrewsbury) ad Collegium accessit.

Die 10 e Collegio decessit Edmund<sup>a</sup> Thorpe Grammaticus et Joa. Debord.

Die 14 e Collegio Audomari huc accessit Joa Burk, verè Blake hybernae grammaticae operam daturus.

Die 17 ad Collegium venit Jacobus Nandyke Eboracensis comitatus.

Die 25 Junii ad missionem Ang: profectus est Jos Sall.

Die 30 hujus mensis in vineam Anglicanam profecti sunt eximius D. Gul: Thornburgh S.T.D. et Rev. D. Ricardus Kendal.

Eodem Die ad Collegium venerunt tres studiosi viz Joa: Daniel Hen: Carpue et Tho: Howarden.

#### *Julius.*

Die 11 a Collegio discessit Marmadukus Langdale e 1<sup>a</sup> Classe Rud:

Die 12 ad Collegium venit Joa Simpson.†

Die 23 hujus mensis ad Collegium venerunt Tho Brown (hic Taylor) et Joa. Kempfield.

Die 28 hinc decessit Gabriel Bowes hic Car: Fletcher.

\* The future bishop and V.A. Lond. Dist. (1781-1790). Fourth son of George Talbot Esq., and Mary dau. of Thomas Viscount Fitzwilliam. For his life and pontificate see Bishop Ward's *Dawn of the Catholic Revival in England 1781-1803*, vol. 1.

† Son of Richard Simpson and his wife Mary, dau. of Richard Withington of Ribbleson. He left the College in 1745 to become a Benedictine, was professed in 1746 and died at Bath 1 Nov. 1785. See Birt, *Obit Book of Eng. Benedictines* 114.



*Augustus.*

Die 4 a seminario atrebatensi rediit huc Jac Brown Diaconus.

Die 11 hinc discessit Car Tyghe è Poesi.


Die 16 ad Collegium accessit Francis Creagh Hispanus.

Die 22 Bernardus et Hen: Allen fratres ad Collegium accesserunt.

Die 25 in vineam Anglicanam profectus est R. D. Hen Maire Dioec Dunelmensis et Tho Cotham Rhetor cum eo decessit.

Die 29 ad Collegium venerunt Tho: Thompson\* (Barnaby) Ja: King (Green)† et Tho: Ecclesole (Hilman).

*September.*

Die 11 in missionem Anglicanam profecti sunt R.R.D.D. Tho: Willson (hic Clark) et Jacobus Hudson. eod tempore a Patre in Angliam vocatus, discessit Joan: Rokeby è Syntaxi  N.B. R. Tho Willson, R Jacobus Hudson, R Ric Kendall, et R. Hen Maire missi sunt in messem Anglicanam a Rev: D. Vicepraeside approbante Nuncio Apostolico Bruxellis agente ut patet ex epistolâ ejusdem Nuncii ad dictum Vicepraesidem, datâ Bruxellis die 30 Junii 1738 at Ex: D. Thornburgh et R.D. Sall de suâ in missionem profectione futurâ ab Ex: D Witham Praeside, ante illius mortem, certiores facti sunt.

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*October 1738.*

Decessit die 2 R.D. Ric Kendall sen' cum nobili puero Antonio Brown filio Vicecomitis de Montague ejus curae commissio.

Die 6 hujus mensis ad Collegium venerunt Phil: Edmundus et Joa: Morgan (vere Jones)‡ Fratres: eod.

Die decessit Tho: Howard de Greystock et Rob: Worswick (Butler alias) Parisios profectus est.

Die 7 accessit ad Collegium Tho: Howard de Wintonia,§ studia Theologica inchoaturus.

Die 9 hujus mensis accessit Ed: Blount|| filius primogenitus Ed. Blount Baronetti.

Die 15 in Angliam hinc profectus est Geo Freeman e Syntaxi.

\* Son of Thomas Barnaby and Mary Thompson; born in London 22 Oct. 1727. Missioner at Stafford where he died in 1783.

† Son of Jonas Green and Mary King. Born in London 31 Jan. 1725, ordained about 1748, taught theology at Douay 1750-1752. Missioner at Welshpool in Shropshire and then at Kiddington. Finally retired to Rome where he lived till his death 12 Dec. 1803.

‡ Sons of Edward Jones of Clytha, Llandaff and Clare Fitzgerald. Philip was ordained priest 1756; Capitular in 1746; priest at Holywell 1763 till his death 10 Aug. 1800 (See C.R.S. III 106.) Edmund died while a student at Douay 6 July 1745.

§ Thomas Howard here described as "de Wintone" is described in a later entry as "de Norfolkia." Another Thomas Howard of Norfolk arrived in the following year, June 1739 and was known at the College as Savile; he left when in the school of Syntax. This Thomas Howard became a Canon of St. Peter's Collegiate Church, Douay, while still a student, was ordained priest 7 March 1743; died at Douay 5 Nov. 1746 and was buried there the following day. According to the *Obituaries of Secular Priests* (C.R.S. XII 7) another priest called Thomas Howard died in Lancashire in April of the same year.

|| Eldest son of Sir Edward Blount, Bart. and Apollonia dau. of Sir John Throckmorton, Bart. He afterwards married Frances dau. and heiress of William Molyneux of Mosborough, Lancs., Esq., succeeded to the baronetcy in 1758 and died in 1765 without issue.

Die 27 ad Collegium venerunt Rogerius et Gulielmus Dicconson\* Fratres.

Die 31 pie admodum obiit Georgius Merry Logicus, Alumnus.

*November.*

Die 6 a Collegio decessit Ed: Hanford Poeta.

Die 17 e Collegio expulsi sunt Joannes Trotter et Joannes Wolfhall (hic Lancaster).

Die 30 ad Collegium venit Hugo Preston (vere Baro de Clifford).†

*December.*

Die 7 decessit e Collegio Gualtherius Williams.

Die 10 ad Collegium accesserunt Ed: Frampton‡ (Paston) Car: Ingleby et Ant Hornyold.§

Die 12 Discessit Jo Banister (vere Warham) Logicus.

Die 31 Georgius et Dudleius Johnson (vere Byrne) jussu Parentum Collegium reliquerunt.

N.B. Quod hoc anno 1738 in Collegio sustentati fuerint 126 praeter famulos. Habitaet etiam sunt solemnes disputationes Logicae et Theologiae.

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*Januarius 1739.*

Die 7 e Collegio Rotomagum profectus est jussu Patris Gulielmus Constable de Burton.

Die 30 Thomas Watson (Howson) ad Collegium venit.

*Februarius.*

die 16 decessit Nic: Porter Poeta.

die 23 e Collegio decessit Tho: Witham Logicus.

Die 24 a sacra Congregatione de propaganda Fide in Locum eximii D. Roberti Witham Defuncti, Substitutus est hujus Collegii Praeses Exim D. Gul: Thornburgh per decretum subsequens.

Decretum Sac: Congregationis Generalis de Propaganda Fide habitae die 24 Februarii 1739.

Referente Eminentissimo et Rev<sup>mo</sup> Dño D. Cardinali Spinello Eminentissimi Patres Praesidem Collegii Duacensis Anglorum in Locum sacerdotis Roberti Witham pié defuncti D. Gulielmum Thornborough sacerdotem secularem ad beneplacitum sacrae Congregationis deputarunt, cum omnibus oneribus, honoribus, emolumentis et Privilegiis, quibus ejusmodi Collegii Praesides gaudere consueverunt. Datum Romae ex aedibus ejusdem Sacrae Congregationis die 7 Martii anni quo supra.

V. Card Petra Pref.

Philippus de Montibus Sec<sup>l</sup>.

\* Sons of Edward Dicconson of Wrightington Hall, Lancs., Esq. Roger the eldest son died at Douay while in Rhetoric 5 July 1742. William was dismissed 5 June 1743.

† Hugh, fourth Baron Clifford of Chudleigh, eldest son of Hugh, third baron, and Elizabeth dau. of Edward Blount Esq., of Blagden. He succeeded his father as a child in 1732. In 1749 he married Lady Ann Lee, fifth dau. of George, second Earl of Lichfield, by whom he had several children. He died 1 Sept. 1783.

‡ Possibly a son or grandson of Edward Paston of Barmingham, Norfolk and Jane dau. of Richard Frampton of Bilston, Wilts.

§ Son of Anthony Hornyold and Mary dau. of Thomas Berington of Mote Hall Shropshire. Born 1723. Killed in the hunting-field 1749. He was first cousin to Bishop Hornyold.



Die 9 Maii accessit Philip: Doughty.

Die 11 Maii iuramentum alumnorum praestitit Jo: Howorth (hic Seton) Theologus 3<sup>us</sup> anni de consensu Praesidis in Anglia existentis.

Die 14 Maii accessit Joa: Tapperell\*.

Die 9 Junii valetudinis recuperandae causâ in angliam profectus est Brianus Salvin.

hoc anno ad ordines respective jussu Praesidis, promoti sunt sequentes alumni Pontificii viz ad Presbyteratum D. D. Jos. Barnes et Tho: Daniel: ad Diaconatum vero Car: Needham, Gul. Walton, Emir Grimbaldston Joa Debord. Joa: Heylin; ad subdiaconatum autem Jo: Bamber, Jo Seton (Howorth) Tho Perkinson, Iac. Perkinson, Tho Worswick, Tho Shimel—ad Tonsuram et 4 minores Ed: Balls Jo: Bosvile. Jo Seton (howorth) Jo: Harrison, Oswaldus Lancaster. hi omnes Sabbato ante Festum SS. Trinitatis ab Epô Feneborensi ordines (loco Arëpi. Camaracensis) in *seminario de Bevrage* conferente ordinati Jussu Praesidis adhuc in missione Anglicana existentis.

Die 13 Julii in angliam valetudinis causâ profectus est: Geo Anderson alumnus Logicus.

Die 28 Julii ad Collegiū venit Exim: Dominus Thornburgh Praeses hujus Collegii, magnaue omnium alumnorum et Convictorum urbanitate exceptus est.

Die 29 Carminibus Rhetorum et Poetarum ob adventum Praesidis, ornatu sunt parietes ambulacrorum; eodemq die omnes in refectorio convivio excepit Praeses.

[p. 252]. hoc anno mense Junio ad Collegium venerunt die 1 Dominicus Fleming.

Die 8 Thomas Howard (hic Savile) de Norfolciâ† et Tho: Havers.

#### Julii.

Die 12 Petrus Giffard,‡ Tho. Brayne, Arthurus Vaughn§ Ed: Collins, Ed Irland, Ric Tournier ad Collegium venerunt.

Die 13. in Angliam valetudinis recuperandae gratiâ profectus est Geo Anderson alumnus, finita et propugnata prius Logicâ.

hoc anno Theses theologiae de Sacramentis; et theologiae universae propugnatae sunt, theses etiam Logicae et Philosophiae universae.

#### Augusti.

Die 19 Aug. accessit Nicholaus Claving.

Die 21 Augusti decesserunt Geo Rider (Ravenscroft) Bernardus et Hen Allen fratres.

Die 25 Jacobus Burley decessit et die 28 Joa: Bellew.

Die 31 discessit Joa: Bourk (Blake).

\* Son of John Taprell of London and Mary Lund his wife. Born 18 April 1718, ordained 1748; missionary at Derby for many years when he fell away, married, and practised medicine at Marston Montgomery, Derbyshire, till his death.

† Son of Philip Howard of Buckenham and Winifred daughter of Thomas Stonor of Stonor. Born 1728; died without issue 10 Jan. 1763.

‡ Probably the son of Peter Giffard of Chillington and Barbara dau. of Sir Robert Throckmorton, Bart, of Congleton, Warwickshire, who was killed in the hunting-field in 1749.

§ Son of Maurice Vaughan of London and his wife Jane Power; born 1724, ordained 1749, missionary at Harvington Hall 1752-1792. Died 1792. See C.R.S. xvii 368.

*September.*

Die 9 accessit Joa Howarden\*

Die 11 Septembris Gul. Metcalf Collegii expulsus est.

Die 22 in Missionem Anglicanam profectus est R. D. Joa: Busby Musaei praefectus.

Die 21 Juramentum alumnorum praestitit Joa Sergeant.

Die 27 huc ex Angliâ reversus est Georgius Anderson alumnus.

*October.*

Die 1 8bris in singulis Scholis Litterarum humaniorū brevem orationem ad studiosos habuit D. Praeses.

Eodem die Missam votivam de Spiritu S<sup>to</sup> cantavit.

Die 2 ad Collegium rediit R. D. Thomas Roydon qui comitatus fuerat nobilem juvenem Bryanum Salvin in angliam.

Eadem nocte Ric: Tournier quatuordecim circiter annorum juvenis dum scalarum super Pilulas delabi voluit, ex alto cecidit excussoque cerebro continuò efflavuit animam.

Die 4 sepultus est praedictus juvenis, et de infelici illius casu ad omnes in Refectorio sermonem habuit D. Praeses.

*November.*

Die 2 Novembris accessit ad Collegium Patricius Bellew.†

Die 4 Juramentum alumnorum praestitit Lucas Pots eodem Die accessit ad Collegium Gulielmus Storey.

Die 28 accessit ad Collegium Joseph: Hay ex Portu S. Malo.

*December.*

Die 9 discessit Carolus Pendril Philosophus 2<sup>di</sup> anni die 12 venit ad Collegium Stephanus Warrilow.

Sabbato 4 Temporum Decembris Tornaci ordinati sunt alumni sequentes viz: ad subdiaconatum promotus est Mr. Petrus Waring: ad Diaconatum Tho. Parkinson et Joa: Bamber ad Presbyteratum Gulielmus Steel, Emir Grimbaldston Joa Debord et Joa: Heylin.

[p. 253]. In solempni Festo Nativitatis D. N. I. C. secundem carnem Primitias suas Deo consecrarunt Praedicti novi sacerdotes et ad Prandium convivio excepti a Praeside, carminibus Rhetorum et Poetarum salutati sunt.

Die 28. Juramentum alumnorum praestitit Geo: Gul: Fra: Hardwick Theologus tertii anni.

N.B. hoc anno 1739 in Collegio sustentati sunt 126, praeter famulos.

*Anno Dni 1740.*

*January 1740.*

Die 9 Januarii ad Collegium accessit D. Joannes Strutt‡ (hic Bridgman)

\* Son of Caryl Hawarden and Catherine Crosby, born in Lancashire, 2 May, 1724. After ordination in 1749 taught humanities for some time at Douay; then returned to Lancashire as a missionary and died 27 May 1770.

† Second son of Sir Edward Bellew, third Bart. of Barmeath Castle, co. Louth, Ireland, and Eleanor dau. of Michael Moore Esq. He succeeded his brother John in 1750, married Mary, dau. of Matthew Hore Esq., of Shandon, Waterford, and died 5 March, 1795.

‡ Son of John Strutt, a protestant, and Emma Bridgeman his Cathoic wife. Born 1713, studied humanities at Lambspring, ordained priest at the English College, Rome 1738. He became a Benedictine and died 5 Dec. 1782. See Birt, *Obit Book of Eng. Ben.* 113.



Sacerdos Romae ordinatus, et inde in vineam Anglicanam a superiore suo missus. Sed cum ad functiones, ob doctrinae inopiam inidoneus esset repertus ab Illustrissimo Prusensi Vicario Apostolico huc missus est, ut ea quae ad munera missionarii vitae obeunda sunt necessaria disceret. cum praedicto sacerdote venerunt Jacobus Stuart et Joannes Nesfield.\*

Die 11 ob Festum S. Gulielmi convivium omnibus alumni et convictoribus dedit D. Praeses.

*Februarius.*

Die 22 Februarii discessit a Collegio Hen. Carpue Patris jussu.

*Martius.*

Die 2 Aprilis Sabbato ante Dominicam Passionis ad ordines ab Episcopo Tornacensi promoti sunt sequentes alumni viz Ad Primam Tonsuram et quatuor Minores Ordines Jacobus Slaughter, Gulielmus Daniel, Joan: Dun, Geo. Gul: Franciscus Hardwick: ad subdiaconatum verò praedictus Hardwick, Edoardus Ball, Joan: Bosville, Joa: Harrison, Oswaldus Lancaster—ad Diaconatum Joa: Howorth (hic Seton) Jac: Perkinson, Tho Shimel, Tho: Worswick (hic Butler) Petrus Waring,—ad Presbyteratum Joannes Bamber et Tho. Parkinson.

Die 16 Sabbato Sancto ad Sacerdotium promoti sunt Petrus Waring et Joannes Howorth, hic Seton.

Die 17 Dominica Resurrectionis, Primitias suas consecrarunt Joan Bamber, Tho. Perkinson, Joa: Howorth, et Petrus Waring.

Die 22 discessit Jo Owen.

Die 25 D. Praeses Parisios profectus est ut ibi munus Provisoris Seminarii S. Gregorii exerceret eodem die a Collegio discessit Rob: Green vere Alwyn.

*May.*

Die 2 Maii ad Collegium venit Michael Bellew† Hybernus.

Die 7 accesserunt Hen: Tichburne Blount‡ et alter Hen: Blount.

Die 9 discessit Geo Neucl Convictor Theologus primi anni et cum eo in missionem profectus est R. D. Turbervillus Needham.

Die 24 decessit ob infirmam valetudinem Hugo Edmundson alumnus et cum eo Thomas Thorpe.

eod Die ad Collegium reversus est D. Praeses et cum eo venit Ed: Dicconson§ Rudimentis vocaturus.

Die 25 R. D. Gul Green S. T. Prof. et Studiorum Praefectus creatus est S. T. Licentiatu.

\* Son of John Nesfield or Nestfield and Frances Porter his wife, born in York diocese 15 July 1726; after ordination about 1751 was General Prefect at Douay. He went to the West Indies as a missionary and died at Santa Cruz, 5 Feb. 1777.

† Third son of Sir Edward Bellew, Bart. and Eleanor his wife. He married Miss Barnewall and died in 1742, leaving a son Christopher from whom the Baronets of Mount Bellew, Galway, are descended.

‡ Henry Tichborne Blount, afterwards President of Douay (1770-1780) was second son of Michael Blount, Esq., of Maple Durham and Mary Agnes dau. of Sir Joseph Tichborne of Tichborne. Born 6 Dec. 1723, ordained in 1748, died at Maple Durham 29 May 1810.

§ A younger son of Edward Dicconson of Wrightington Hall, Lancashire, by Elizabeth daughter and heiress of Edward Petre of Margareting, Essex, Esq., only son of the Hon. Edward Petre, 4th son of William, 2nd Lord Petre of Writtle. Hence he was grand-nephew of Bishop Dicconson.

Hoc mense Theses Logicae Propugnatae sunt sub R. D. Albano Butler Respondentibus Joanne Stanley Joanne Wright (Strickland) Carolo Cordel Joai sergeant.

*June*

Die 11 Junii ab Illus Feneborensi ad ordines promoti sunt in capella seminarii de Beuvrage sequentes alumni [vi]z.: ad Subdiaconatum Gulielmus Daniel et Joa Dun: ad Diaconatum Hugo Kendal, Geo Hardwick ad presbyteratum Jac Brown Jac: Parkinson et Tho: Worswick qui Festo Corporis Christi Primitias consecrarunt.

*Junius.*

[p. 255—there is no page 254] Die 14 Junii Vesperias aulae suae Doctoralis celebravit Erud D. Gul Green, Eximo D. Praeside terminorum Interprete.

Die 15 ad Collegium Reversus est Rev. D. Thomas Stapylton et eadem die Laurea Doctorali insignitus est Exim. D. Green maximo omnium Ordinum applausu.

Die 21 Dunkirkham profectus est R. D. Joan: Howorth (hic Seton).

Die 22 Praeside eximio Dno Gulielmo Green Theses Theologiae propugnavit R.D. Emir Grimalston.

Die 25 easdem Theses propugnavit D. Gul. Walton Diaconus cum summo applausu eod die ad Collegium accessit Geor. Gibson filius tertius Dni Gasparis Gibson.\*

Die 27 dictas Theses propugnavit R. D. Tho: Daniel.

Diem item 27 Convivium omnibus in Collegio exhibitum est ob Doctoratum Eximii D. D. Gulielmi Green (verè Scot).

Eod: die ad Collegium venit Franciscus Nechills Londinensis Rudimentis operam daturus.

Die 30 Junii R. D. Tho. Roydon S. T. Prof: constitutus est Praefectus Studiorum Loco Exim Dñi Green.

*Julius.*

Die 8 Propugnata est Philosophia universa sub R. D. Albano Butler. Respondentibus mane Gulielmo Pennington et à meridie Georgio Anderson Alumnis.

Die 9 easdem Theses defendit Jacobus Dixon Convictor.

Eod die ad Collegium Parisiis venit Phil: Perry† ut hic Philosophiae operam daret, Missus à superiore Seminarii S. Gregorii Sap. D. Dno. Matt: Beare.

Die 11 in missionem Anglicanam profectus est Exim D. Gul Green (vere Scot) quem Dunkercam usque comitati sunt exim D. Praeses et R.D. Joan: Wilkinson Praefectus generalis.

Die 13 cum Rev. D. Gul. Foster hujus Collegii sacerdote et alumno ad Collegium accesserunt Christoph: et Alex Taylor,‡ Ric Gibson

\* Third son of Jasper Gibson of Stonecroft, Durham, and Margaret, his wife. Born March 1726, ordained 1750, General Prefect 1751-1753. Afterwards missionary at Hexham where he died 3 Dec. 1778. See Gillow, *Dict.* III, 444.

† Philip Mark Perry, son of Peter Perry and Jane Westwood, his wife, was born at Bilston, Staffs. 25 April 1720, ordained in 1750; died 4 Sept. 1774. See C.R.S. XIX 134, and Gillow, *Dict.* v 270.

‡ Alexander Taylor was the son of Joseph Taylor and Dorothy Worswick, and was born about 1724 in Lancashire. On leaving Douay he studied at St. Gregory's, Paris,



(Williams)\* Phil Butler† Jac Brown (Lord Dunboyne)‡ Hybernus, Guliel: Daniel§ Jac: Macheinson. ||

Diebus 18, 19 mane, et 20 propugnatae sunt Theses theologiae de gratiâ, Justificatione, Merito et virtutibus Theologicis Praeside R.D. Thoma Roydon a sequentibus, hoc ordine, Theologis alumnis, R.D. Jacobo Cotham, Geo Hardwick, Jo Roberts, Jo Dunn R.D. Tho Butler.

Die 25 Facultates proficiscentibus in missionem concedi solitas misit D. Praeses ad D. Joan Seton (Howorth) Dunkircae existentem.

*Augustus.*

Die 2 Augusti in vineam anglicanam missi sunt R. R. D. D. Petrus Waring Joannes Bamber et Joannes Heylin.

Die 5 Aug in missionem anglicanam profectus est R.D. Thomas Daniel, confectis laudabiliter Theologiae studiis.

Die 6 ad Collegium accesserunt Thomas Talbot¶ et Edoardus Salvin\*\* —nobiles juvenes Rudimentis operam daturi.

[p. 256] Die 13 Aug: ad Collegium accessit Gulielmus How Rudimentis vacaturus.

Die 16 Aug: in Angliam profectus est missionarius R.D. Jacobus Brown Londinensis.

Die 29 Aug. a Collegio discessit Petrus Creagh Dialecticus è Portu S. Mariae in Hispania oriundus.

*Septemb.*

Die 2 Septemb: Patris Jussu Collegium reliquit Jacobus Hanford, expleto primo Philosophiae anno.

Die 22. Septemb: Parisiis, seu potius è Collegio Nanterrensi ad nos venit Nobilis juvenis Nicolaus Jernagan Rhetoricae operam†† daturus.

where he was ordained in 1749. Having been Secretary to Bishop Stonor, he was missionary at Wolverhampton till 1775, when he was suspended by Bishop Hornyold under curious circumstances related by Kirk (*Biog.* p. 230.) He never made his submission and died suddenly without being reconciled.

\* This student should not be confused with Richard Gibson afterwards ordained at Douay, younger brother of Bishops Mathew and William Gibson.

† Son of William Butler of the family of Butler of Rawcliffe Hall, Lancs., and Dorothy Ashton. Born in Lancashire Dec. 1724. After ordination in 1752 he became chaplain to the Orrels at Blackbrook, where he died 19 Dec. 1777.

‡ James Butler, eighteenth Baron Dunboyne, was the eldest son of Edmund, 17th Baron Dunboyne, of Dunboyne, co. Meath, Ireland, and Anne dau. of Oliver Grace Esq. He succeeded to the barony in 1732 and died without issue in 1768.

§ Son of Thomas Daniel and Helen dau. of Robert Foster of Foster Charnock, and nephew of the Rev. William Foster als Charnock. Born in London, Oct. 1725. He has been confused by Kirk with Rev. William Daniel, son of John Daniel of Whittingham, (C.R.S. viii 345). After ordination in 1750 he was chaplain first to Sir William Vavasour at Hazlewood, Yorks., and then to the Andertons at Euxton Hall, Lancs., where he died 25 July, 1777.

|| Possibly Makenson. There were Catholics of this name in Aspull, Lancashire.

¶ Fifth son of George Talbot Esq. and Mary daughter of Thomas Viscount Fitz-William, and younger brother of Bishop James Talbot. He was born 14 Feb. 1727; was ordained at Douay and became Bishop of Acon, and coadjutor to Bishop Hornyold in 1766. He succeeded as V.A. Midland District in 1778 and died 24 Feb. 1795.

\*\* Fourth son of Bryan Salvin of Croxdale Esq., and Anne dau. of William Haggerston Esq. He afterwards settled at Tudhoe, Durham, and died unmarried 21 Dec. 1757.

†† Fourth son of Henry Jerningham, (brother of Sir George Jerningham of Costessey Park, Norwich) and Mary dau. of Nicholas L'Epine Esq. He married first the widow of Thomas Carte, the historian, and secondly a daughter of Aske Windham of Felbrigg Norfolk, Esq. He died in 1785.

*October.*

Die 1 octob: ad coll: venit Jac: Ayles Rudimentis vacaturus.

Die 3 Octobris Patris jussu e Collegio Parisios profectus est Georgius Meynel de Aldbrough, finito Poesios studio.

Die 5 in missionem Anglicanam profectus est R.D. Gul Steele Dioec Eboracensis.

Die 7 Ad collegium ex Angliâ Reversus est Mr Hugo Edmundson Theologiae operam daturus Alumnus.

Die 17 ut Fratrem malâ utentem valetudine inviseret Londinum profectus est R.D. Tho Stapylton Convictor ac Senior.

*November.*

Die 5 Novembris ad collegium venerunt Thomas Clough et Carolus Coffin (hic Cary) ambo Rudimentis vacaturi.

Die 18 Novembris in missionem Anglicanam profectus est D.R. Joannes Debord Dunelmensis quarti jam anni Theologus.

Die 23 Nov in angliam reversus est Mr Geo Anderson Eboracensis Alumnus, Theologus primi anni, pius juvenis, sed ad statum ecclesiasticum haud idoneus judicatus eo quod subinde daret indicia mentis non prorsus sanæ.

*December.*

Die 7 Decembris ad Collegium venit Nob. juvenis Jacobus Longville Poeta.

Die 15 Decembris a Collegio discesserunt Josephus Berrington et Thomas Watson Illo e Rhetoricâ hic è grammaticâ.

Hoc item mense litteras tenoris sequentis accepimus Româ.

Admodum Rev<sup>de</sup> Domine—opinio multae virtutis et singularis in apostolicam sedem obsequii vestri, non vulgarem a Pontifice maximo conciliavit gratiam officio, quo dignitatem summam in terris delatam illi divinitus, prosecuti vos estis. Vestram enim fidem et Religionem quae nihil in vobis certè degenerat a majoribus illis vestris optimam causam praeclarâ morte testatis hos vobis dedisse sensus agnovit officii simul et Reverentiae plenissimos. Argumentum itaque illustre Paternae suae voluntatis in vos eximiè propensae Apostolicam vobis Benedictionem peramanter impartitur: Ego vobis omnia fausta precor a Deo Romae 3 Decembris 1740. Dominatiôis Tuae.

ad officia

S. Card Valenti.

Gulielmo Thornburgh

Praesedi Spectatisq. Viris Collegii Anglorum Duacensis (Duacum).

[p. 257] N.B. hoc anno 1740 in Collegio sustentati sunt 132 praeter famulos. Impendia autem in Singula Capita fuerunt propter annonae charitatem 23<sup>li</sup> : 10<sup>s</sup> : 8½<sup>d</sup> : ster.

Anno 1741.

*Januarius.*

D. 12 Convivio excepit Praeses omnes in Collegio.

D. 17 hoc mense Januario a suprema Belgii curiâ Lis, collegium inter et Abbatiam de Fline, de fodinis arenae in viâ Regiâ prope Coustiche in favorem Collegii dijudicata est.

*Febr.*

Die 9 Feb. S.N. Episcopus Deborensis consecratus è Ex D. Ric



Challoner in hoc Collegio olim Philosophiae ac Theologiae Prof. Praefectus Studiorum et Vicepraeses. Consecratus autem est ab Epō Prusensij cujus Coadjutor est in Vicariatu apostolico Londini et in partibus Angliae Australibus.

Eod Die Romā Rediens (ubi agens extraordinarius Cleri secularis Anglicani fuerat) ad Collegium accessit R.R.D.D. Edoardus Dicconson quondam hujus Collegii Vicepraeses, procurator Philosophiae et St Theologiae Professor nunc vero Episcopus Mallensis electus, et Vicarius Apostolicus in partibus angliae septentrionalibus, coram eo, paulo post propugnata est Philosophia naturalis Sub R.D. Albano Butler a Jo: Stanley et Joa Strickland: Carolo Cordel et Joa Serjeant.

*Martius.*

Die 9 hujus mensis cum praefato Electo Mallensi Gandavum profectus est D. Praeses et [blank].

Die 13 Excellentissimum D.D. Tempi Archiepiscopum Nicomediae et Nuncium Apostolicum Bruxellis inviserunt praedictus Mallensis et D. Praeses, a quo humanissime excepti sunt.

Die 19 Dominicā Passionis Electus Mallensis Gandavi consecratus est ab Illus<sup>mo</sup> Joa Bap. Smets dictae urbis Episcopo; assistantibus (ex Dispensatione Pontificiā loco duorum Episcoporum) Eximio D: Praeside et Rev. Dnō Jacobo Whitenhall Presbyteris.

Die 24 ad Collegium reversi sunt Reverendissimus Mallensis et D. Praeses. eodem die Dunkirkā reversus est R.D. Fran. Petre Vicepraeses unaque cum eo ad Collegium accessit Nob: juvenis Edo: Gough in Hispaniā natus ex parentibus Hybernis.

Die 25 Juramentum alumnorum praestitit Jacobus Dixon, Theologus primi anni, optimae spei juvenis Dioecesis Cestriensis.

[p. 258] Die 27 Illustrissimus Mallensis et D. Praeses, Atrebatum profecti Licentiam ab Ill<sup>mo</sup> Atrebatensi impetrarunt ut nostri alumni a Rev<sup>mo</sup> Mallensi in Sabbato Sancto ad ordines promoverentur et sacrum Confirmationis nostris ab eodem conferretur.

*Aprilis.*

Die 1 Aprilis Sabbato Sancto Missam in Pontialibus celebrante Rev<sup>mo</sup> Mallensi, ex praedicta Licentiā, in Collegii Sacello ad ordines respective promoti sunt sequentes Alumni Pontificii viz ad primam tonsuram et quatuor minores ordines Jacobus Dixon, Gullelmus Pennington, Hugo Edmundson, Georgius Shuttleworth (hic Haydocke) et Christophorus Layfield hi duo postremi, et Jacobus Slaughter Acolythus, ad Sacrum Subdiaconatum etiam promoti sunt; ad Diaconatum verò Joannes Harrison Oswaldus Lancaster, Edoardus Ball hic Worthington, Joannes Bosvile hic Roberts, Gulielmus Daniel et Joan: Dun.

Ad Presbyteratum denique Carolus Needham Gulielmus Walton Thomas Shimel et Geor—Guliel: Fran Hardwick.

Die 2 in in solempni Festo Resurrectionis D.N.J.C. primitias suas consecrarunt Quatuor dicti Sacerdotes pridie ordinati.

Die 4 Feriā 3<sup>a</sup> Paschae praedictus Ill: Mallensis Sacramentum Confirmationis contulit viginti tribus convictoribus hujus Collegii.

Die 11 a Collegio discesserunt R.D. Joa Strutt (hic Bridgman) Sacerdos Romae ordinatus, qui hic per 15 Menses commoratus est, et Thomas Pritchard, Logicus. Aviae jussu hic posterior in Angliam rediit.

15 Rev<sup>mus</sup> Mallensis de Licentiâ Episcopi Atrebatensis, primam tonsuram clericalem contulit duobus filiis Dni d' allennes de la Verdure in Suprema Curia Gallo-Belgicâ Consiliarii.

Eodem die ad Collegium venit Geo: Gorsuch Dialecticae operam daturus, fuerat hic in Noviciatu apud Patres Soc. Jesu, qui de vitâ et moribus ejus bonum testimonium dederunt.

Die 16 Huc venit Bernardus Allen Studio Philosophiae naturalis vacaturus.

Die 17 Angliam versus profectus est Rev<sup>mus</sup> Mallensis hujus Collegii alumnus.

#### *Maius.*

Die 25 Maii Parisios profectus est Rev. D. Ber: Howard de Norfolciâ ad invisendam Matrem.

Die 15 Sub. R.D. Josepho Barnes propugnata est Thesis Philosophiae Rationalis Respondentibus mane Joa: Lodge et Joa Worthington vere Ball a meridie autem Phil: Parry et Hen Tichborne Blount.

Die 16 eandem Thesim propugnarunt Gul: Prujean et Philip Warham. [p. 259] Die 20 Maii Vigiliâ Pentecostes Juramentum alumnorum praestiterunt Carolus Cordell et Joannes Stanley Secundi anni Philosophi et optimae spei juvenes Hic in Dioecesi Eboracense natus est Ille Londini uterque agens aetatis annum vigesimum primum.

Die 31 Maii D. Praeses misit ad Ex<sup>ra</sup> D. Nuntium Apostolicum Bruxellis agentem, Responsa sua ad Quaesita S<sup>mi</sup> D.N. Benedicti XIV.

#### *Junius.*

Die 9 Junii D. Praeses accepit Epistolam a Nuntio apostolico quâ se plurium praedicta Responsa probare significavit.

Die 19 a Collegio Discessit Ric: Williams (vere Gibson) Poeta.

Die 23 Junii ad Collegium rediit Josephus Berrington Dialecticae operam daturus.

#### *Julius.*

Die primâ Julii ad collegium accessit prae nobilis Juvenis Franciscus Talbot ex Comitibus de Shrewsbury.\*

Die 5 in missionem profectus est R.D. Geo: Hardwick.

Die 7 sub Rev: D. Albano Butler propugnata est a Joanne Sergeant et Joanne Stanley alumnis illo mane hoc a meridie respondente.

Die 8 eandem Thesim propugnata est a Joanne Strickland convictore mane, et a Carolo Cordel alumno post meridiem.

Die 11 ad Collegium Jam secundo accessit Joan Exley† Poesi anno Proximo operam daturus. eodem Die e Collegio discessit Jacobus Makinson e 1<sup>a</sup> classe Rudimentorum.

Diebus 21, 22 et 24 mane sub ex D. Praeside propugnatae sunt Theses Theologicae de Decalogo et Incarnatione a sequentibus alumnis, hoc ordine, viz a Joanne Roberts (verè Bosvile) Diacono, a Joanne Dunn

\* Sixth son of George Talbot Esq. and Mary dau. of Thomas Viscount Fitzwilliam, born in 1727. He settled at Witham Place, Essex; married first Anne dau. of Thomas Belasyse first Earl of Fauconberg, and secondly Margaret Frances, dau. of William Sheldon esq., of Weston, Warwickshire. Died 26 Nov. 1813, aged 86.

† Son of Leonard Exley and Mary Rathmell, born 18 May 1716.



Diacono, a Jacobo Slaughter Subdiacono, a Jacobo Dixon Acolytho, ab Oswaldo Lancaster Diacono.

Die 25 Rev D. Thomas Parkinson in vineam anglicanam profectus est, in comitatu R.D. Ric: Kendal hujus Collegii sacerdotis missionarii, qui in Collegio per aliquot Dies commoratus fuerat.

Die 26 Sub Rev: D. Thomâ Roydon Theologiam universam egregiè propugnavit R.D. Thomas Butler verè Worswick.

Die 29. Praefectus Generalis constitutus est R.D. Thomas Shimmel loco R.D. Joannis Wilkinson qui id muneris per plures annos laudatissime gesserat.

30 Die ad Collegium accessit R.D. Tho Stapylton hujus Collegii sacerdos sed non alumnus.

#### *Augustus.*

[p. 260] Die prima Augusti venit ad Collegium Georgius Palmes (hic Plumpton)\* Rudimentis operam daturus.

Eodem die jussu Patris sui a Colegio discessit Jacobus Mendyke e prima classe Rudimentorum.

Die secundâ ad Collegium appulit Joannes Chadwick† Rudimentis vacaturus.

D 12 Thomas Barrow grammaticus a Collegio in Angliam Matre illius et sorore eum Comitantibus profectus est.

Die 16 Discessit a Collegio Franciscus Nechils Grammaticus.

Die 26 ad Collegium venerunt Quatuor sequentes juvenes, Jacobus et Robertus Doughty,‡ Fratres, Gulielmus Grimbaldston§ et Robertus Strickland|| (hic Wright) ad infimam Rudimentorum classem deputandi.

Die 28 postquam Litteras humaniores per plures annos docuerat et Praefecti Generalis munus per septennium mirâ patientiâ mansuetudine ac prudentiâ gesserat, è Collegio Parisios profectus est R.D. Joannes Wilkinson: ut apud moniales Ordinis S. Augustini in dictâ civitate, confessarii munere fungeretur.

Cum eodem unâ Parisios Profecti sunt Jacobus Talbot Syntaxianus, jussu Nobilissimae Matris Comitissae de Shrewsbury et ex: D. Praeses.

#### *September.*

Die 4 Septembris a Collegio discessit Hugo Preston (Verè Baro de Clifford) e Classe Rhetorices inchoatae.

Die 5 Matris jussu a Collegio in Angliam rediit Edoardus Ireland è primâ Classe Rudimentorum.

Die 14 Jussu Ex: Dni: Gul: Scot Avunculi sui, in Angliam rediit Jacobus Stewart, è 2<sup>d</sup> Classe Rudimentorum.

\* Eldest son of George Palmes, of Naburn, Yorkshire, and Frances dau. and co-heiress of Robert Plumpton of Plumpton, Esq. He married Catherine dau. of George Heneage Esq. of Hainton, Lincs., and died 7 Feb. 1774.

† Son of John Chadwick of Birkacre, Chorley, Lancs., and Helen Wareing his wife; born 27 April 1728; ordained 1752; after teaching at Douay became missionary at Weld Bank, Lancashire; Capitular 1770; Grand Vicar to Bishop Matthew Gibson 1780; died at Weld Bank 26 Oct. 1802.

‡ Fourth and fifth sons of George Brownlow Doughty of Snarford Hall, Lincs., and Frances Cecily, dau. of Sir Henry Joseph Tichborne, Bart.

§ Son of John Grimbaldston, the elder brother of the Revd. William and Emir Grimbaldston.

|| Probably another son of John Mannock Strickland and Mary Wright.

Die 21 è Collegio Audomarensi P.P.S.J. huc accessit Nobilis juvenis Radulphus Clavering\* (hic Stapylton) ad primam Classem Rudimentorum.

Die 23 ad Collegium accessit Carolus Moritz Londinensis ad infimam Rudimentorum Classem.

Die 23 Sabbato 4 temporum ab Ill<sup>mo</sup> Fereborensi in Seminario Archiepi Cameracensis dicto de Beuverage ad sacerdotium promoti sunt Oswaldus Lancaster et Edoardus Ball, ad Diaconatum vero Jacobus Slaughter.†

Die 26 Huc appulit Joannes Waters (vere Drinkwater) ad primam Rudimentorum Classem.

Die 27 R.D. Jacobus Perkinson (hic Cotham) Grammaticae Professor, in missionem Anglicanam abiit, unaque jam secundo a Collegio discessit Bernardus Allen.

[p. 261] Die 1 Octobris pro felici Studiorum Repetitione sacrum solemne votivum de Spiritu Sancto Cantavit Rev. D. Vicepraeses.

Eodem die venit ad Collegium Josephus Williams.

Die 15 ad Collegium accessit Robertus Banister.‡

Die 16 a Collegio Parisios profecti sunt (cum Parentibus) Thomas et Joannes Dillon; priorè Physicâ posterior è Logicâ.

*November.*

Die 11 Novembris Parisiis ad Collegium reversus est Ex D. Praeses.

Die 16 Sacrum solenne votivum de Sto Carolo Borromaeo Cantavit ex D. Praeses in gratiarum actionem quod omnes in Collegio optima valetudine jam diu fuissent usi (cum tamen morbi et febres periculosissimae tum in urbe tum in villis, imo ubique poene grassarentur) et ad impetrandam singularis hujus Divini erga hoc Collegium Praesidii continuationem. Pro eadem intentione in assumptione B.V. Mariae Sacrum solenne Cantatum fuerat hoc eodem anno.

Die 20 a Collegio discessit Patricius Bellew, Grammaticus Hybernus; et ad Matrem Lutetiae Parisiorum existentem profectus est.

*December.*

Die nono Decembris a Collegio discesserunt et in Angliam Parentum Jussu, profecti sunt Jacobus Longvile Rhetor et Reginaldus Williams Poeta eos usque Dunkirkam comitatus est R. D. Albanus Butler S. T. Prof: ut apud Sanctimonialia Ordinis S. Clarae Confessarii munere aliquamdiu fungeretur.

Die 23 ab Illustrissimo Atrebatensi Epo Atrebatensi ad sacerdotium promoti sunt Joannes Harrison, Gulielmus Daniel ambo Dioecesis Cestrensis et Jacobus Slaughter Dioecesis Herefordiensis: ad Diacon-

\* Eldest son of Ralph Clavering of Callaly Castle, Northumberland, and Mary, dau. of Nicholas Stapleton Esq. of Ponteland and Carlton in Yorkshire; born 27 June 1727; married first Eliza, dau. of James Egan, Esq., secondly Frances dau. of John Lynch Esq., and thirdly Mary dau. of Edward Walsh Esq. He died 4 Oct. 1787.

† This paragraph is out of chronological order in the original, with indications that it should be inserted here in its proper place.

‡ Second son of Robert Banister of Hesketh Bank, Lancs., and Mary Bell. Born 21 Oct. 1725, ordained 1750, prefect of studies and professor of theology at Douay for many years. For his priestly career, see memoir, Gillow *Did.* 1 123. Died at Dodding Green, Westmorland 17 May, 1812.



atum Christopherus Leyfield Cestrensis et Georgius Shuttleworth Eboracensis: ad primam tonsuram 4 minores et sacrum Subdiaconatum Joannes Serjeant Cestriensis Lucas Potts Dunelmensis et Carolus Cordel Londinensis.

Die 25 Praedicti sacerdotes novelli primitias suas Deo consecrarunt; et ad prandium a Rhaetoribus et Poetis carminibus salutati sunt.

Die 27 Juramentum alumnorum pontificiorum praestitit Joannes Ball Dioecesis Cestrensis Secundi jam anni Philosophus.

Eodem die Idem praestitit Philippus Jones Dioecesis Landaffi Logicus.

Die 28 Juramentum alumnorum praestiterunt Thomas Shepherd Cestriensis Logicus, et Gulielmus Errington\* Dioecesis Wintoniensis Poeta.

N.B. hoc anno 1741 in Collegio (praeter famulos) sustentati sunt 132 alumni et Convictores.

Anno 1742.

Januar.

[p. 262] Die 2 Januarii R.D. Oswaldus [Lancaster] Dunkirkam missus est ad Moniales Anglas Ordinis S. Clarae, ut Confessarii earundem onus in se susciperet.

Februar.

Diebus 26 et 27 manè mensis februarii, Praeside R. Dnō Josepho Barnes, propugnatae sunt Theses Philosophiae naturalis a sequentibus Studiosis hoc ordine viz: Respondentibus die 26 mane Joanne Lodge et Joanne Worthington: à meridie vero Philippo Perry et Henrico Titchbourn Blount: et die 27 manè Gulielmo Prujean et Philippo Warham.

Martius.

Die 22 Martii in Angliam Rediit Joa: Brewer Logicus Parentum Litteris evocatus.

Eod. Die a Collegio Jam secundo, discessit Joannes Exley Poëta: cum animo tamen huc continuo Redeundi postquam Res suas ordinaverit.

Eodem etiam die in Angliam, valetudinis ergo profectus est R.D. Jacobus Slaughter, secundi jam anni Theologus.

Die 24 Martii in Vigilia Paschae juramentum alumnorum praestiterunt, Joannes Lodge Physicus, et Jacobus Green (hic King) Rhetor.

Die 27 Martii praeiunctum juramentum praestitit Joannes Huddleston Dioecesis Dunelmensis Logicus.

Aprilis.

Die 20 Aprilis ad Collegium venerunt Thomas Walmesley et Dionysius Mills in infimā Rudimentorum classe collocandi.

Die 29 Aprilis ad Collegium venit Gulielmus Wakeman Armiger cum filio suo unico Benedicto Wakeman (hic Francisco Mannock) Gualtero Blount† et Antonio Clough.‡

\* Son of Mark Errington and Martha Baker his wife; born 17 July 1716; ordained 1747; he lived with Bishop Challoner as his chaplain for many years, was employed by him in the foundation of Sedgley Park School, 1762-3, was Treasurer of the Chapter and Archdeacon. Died 28 Sept. 1768.

† Second son of Sir Edward Blount of Soddington, Bart., and Apollonia dau. of Sir John Throckmorton; he succeeded his brother Edward, as sixth Baronet in 1765, married Hon. Mary Aston, dau. and co-heir of James fifth Lord Aston of Forfar and died 5 Oct. 1785.

‡ Son of Richard or Anthony Clough and Mary dau. of John Hornyold of Blackmore

*Maius.*

Die 5 Maii ob infirmam valetudinem a Collegio discessit Thomas Ecclesole (verè Hillman) Syntaxianus.

*Junius.*

Die 11 Junii et die 12 manè Praeside R.D. Gulielmo Walton Theses Philosophiae Rationalis Propugnatae sunt a sequentibus ejus discipulis, hoc ordine, viz. Respondentibus die 11 manè Gulielmo Willkinson et Nicolao Jernagan: a meridie vero Jacobo Gage et Thoma Shepherd: 12 vero manè Philippo Basset et Henrico Grahams.

Die 22 Pie obiit Joannes Waters (vere Drinkwater) Grammaticus.

*Julius.*

[p. 263] Die 2 Julii in vineam Anglicanam rite missus est R.D. Bernardus Howard de Norfolciâ, qui expletis studiis Theologicis Litteras humaniores duobus annis docuerat postea per aliquot annos suis sump-  
tibus in collegio vixit et Confessarii munere functus est.

Eodem die et sequentibus Praeside R.D. Josepho Barnes Theses Philosophiae universae propugnatae sunt a Joanne Lodge alumno manè et a meridie a Philippo Warham Convictore.

Die 3 a Joanne Worthington (vere Ball) alumno et Hen: Tichbourne Blount convictore sed Latine tantum.

Die 4 mane a Gulielmo Prujean, convictore.

Die 5 Diem obiit supremum Rogerus Dicconson filius primogenitus Edoardi Dicconson de Wrightington armigeri in scholâ Rhetorices praeclarae spei juvenis.

Die 13 Obit Philippus Doughty Filius tertius Georgii Doughty armigeri Grammaticus ob sigularem pietatem et mansuetudinem omnibus charus.

Die 15 a Collegio discessit et in Angliam rediit Tutorum jussu Edoardus Frampton (vere Paston) e 2<sup>da</sup> Classe Rudimentorum.

Die 26 Parisios profecti sunt Gul: Prujean et Phil Perry finitis studiis Philosophicis.

Diebus 27, 28, 30, 31, Praeside R.D. Albano Butler Theses Theologicas de Deo uno et Trino et de controversiis Fidei adversus Hæreticos sustinuerunt Joannes Roberts (vere Bosvile) Diac: alumnus Joannes Dunn Diac: alumnus. Joa: Serjeant Subdiac: alum: Coralus Cordell Subd: alum: Jacobus Dixon acolythus alum: Joannes Strickland convictor et R.D. Edoardus Worthington (vere Ball).

*Augustus.*

Die 2 Augusti in Angliam valetudinis ergò reversus est Tho: Talbot ex Comitibus de Shrewsbury.

Eod Die ad Collegium venerunt Rogerus Strickland (hic Edoardus Warton) et Gulielmus Ord (hic Tho: Witham) ambo Rudimentis vacaturi.

Die 10 obiit Joannes Huddleston (hic Gage) alumnus, mirae Pietatis et mansuetudinis juvenis.

Park Esq., and sister of Bishop Hornyold; born 14 April 1729; ordained 1755; chaplain to the Giffards at Chillington 1758-1791, to the Earl of Shrewsbury at Heythrop 1791-1793. In May 1793 he went to the mission of Oscott but died on 7 Sept. in the same year.



Die 14 ad Collegium venerunt Jacobus Wilson\* et Robertus Birket ad Rudimentorum Classem deputandi.

Die 20 finito jam Studiorum Theologicorum curriculo ad mensam Seniorum proventus est Mr. Thomas Howard de Norfolciâ Clericus Ecclesiae S. Petri hujus oppidi canonicus.

Die 28 ad Collegium venit Rodolphus Hodshon ad Classem Rudimentorum.

Die 29 a Collegio discesserunt Thomas et Nicolaus Gibson fratres Dialectici.

Die 31 ad Collegiū accessit Hugo Kennedy (hic Anderson) Hybernus.

*September.*

[p. 264] Die 11 Septembris a Collegio discessit Joan: Kempfield e primâ Classe Rudimentorum.

Die 12 discessit Jacobus Gage Physicus.

Die 17 ad Collegium jam tertio accessit Joannes Exley Rhetoricae post vacantias operam daturus.

Die 23 ad Collegium accesserunt Thomas Wadding et Joannes O'Dwyer hispani, Gadibus nati; sed parentibus, credo, Hybernis, linguae Anglicanae ac primis Latinae Rudimentis vacaturi.

Die 27 ad Collegium venit praenobilis juvenis Joannes Talbot† e Comitibus Salopiae Logicae post Festa Remigia operam daturus.

Eodem Die ad Collegium Rediit Jacobus Gage supradictus.

Sabb 4 temp: Septem: ad 4 min: et subd: promotus est Tho Howard S. Petri canonicus, Convictor.

*Octob.*

In Festo S. Remigii Pro felici Studiorum Repetitione sacrum Solemne votivum de Spiritu S. de more celebratum est.

Die 10 octobris ob infirmam valetudinem in angliam profectus est Jacobus Postlethwaite Poëta.

Eodem die ad Collegium venerunt Jacobus et Franciscus Wyke‡ Fratres, Londinensis.

*Novemb:*

Die 22 Novembris ad Collegium venit Thomas de la Rochâ Hospitanus ex S. Lucar.

*December.*

Die 13 decembris ad collegium rediit Thomas Talbot.

Die 21 Decembris Petrus Macclesfield ad Collegium venit.

Die 22 Sabbato 4 temporum Decembris ab Illust: D. Francisco Baglion de la Salle epo Atrebatensi ad ordines promoti sunt infrascripti viz: D. Christophorus Leyfield ad sacerdotium; Lucas Pots, Joan: Serjeant et Carolus Cordel ad Diaconatum: nec non D. Thomas Howard Insignis Ecclesiae Collegiatae S. Petri hujus urbis canonicus; ad Subdiaconatum vero Gulielmus Pennington, Hugo Edmundson, Jacobus

\* Son of James Wilson and Agnes Morland; born 23 May 1726; ordained 1753; died at York May 1808.

† Third son of George Talbot Esq., and Lady Mary Fitzwilliam. He died unmarried in 1751.

‡ Sons of Peter Wyke of London and Frances Reynolds. James was born 26 Aug. 1728, ordained in 1752 and died 30 May 1799.

Dixon, Joannes autem Stanley ad tonsuram Clericalem, 4 minores et sacrum Subdiaconatum.

Die 25 hora decimâ primitias suas Deo consecravat R.D. Christoferus Layfield supra-dictus.

N.B. hoc anno 1742, incollegio sustentatae sunt 126 Personae, praeter famulos novem.

*Anno Dni 1743.*

*Februarius.*

[p. 265] Die 7 februarii a Collegio Audomarensi ad nos venit Henricus Stanley (vere Blondell de Ince)\* ut hic Philosophiam disceret.

Die 20 discessit Steph. Warrilow pius juvenis ad litteras parum idoneus.

*Martius.*

Die 6 Martii Praeside R.D. Gul: Walton Theses Philosophiae Naturalis propugnatae sunt, mane Respondentibus Gulielmo Wilkinson (verè Fletcher) et Nic: Jernegan, a meridie vero Philippo Basset (verè Jones) et Henrico Grahams.

Die 7 In Ecclesiâ Praedicatorum de laudibus S. Thomae aquinatis Latinè peroravit D. Praeses.

Die 8 ad Collegium, Jam secundo, accessit Jacobus Longville.

Die 3 Sabbato 4 temporum ad sacerdotium promotus est R.D. Thomas Howard Canonicus ab Epo Atrebatensi.

Die 10 a Collegio discessit Thomas Howarden, Parentum suorum jussu, e Poesi.

Eodem die Bruxellas profectus est D. Praeses.

Die 17 Primitias Deo consecravat R.D. Thomas Howard, qui suprâ.

Die 22 ad Collegium rediit D. Praeses.

*Aprilis.*

Die 13 Aprilis, juramentū alumnorū pontificiorū praestitit Joannes Strickland Theologus 2<sup>di</sup> anni.

Die 25 Ap: a Collegio discessit Thomas Brayne Grammaticus.

Die 29 è Collegio expulsus est Gulielmus Grimbaldston, è 2<sup>da</sup> Classe Rudimentorum, inquieti puer ingenii, qui aliorum etiam animos a vitae Collegialis amore avocaverat.

Die 30 Aprilis ad Collegium accessit Illus. ac Rev<sup>mus</sup> D. D. Ricardus Challoner Epūs Deborensis Vicarius Apostolicus, Coadjutor Epī Prusensis in districtu Londinensi, hujus Collegii quondam alumnus, Vicepraeses S. T. Prof. praefectus studiorum Confessarius S. T. D. facultatis Duacena etc.

Unâ cum praedicto Illo<sup>mo</sup> Praesule venerunt R.D. N. Smith† Sacerdos Missionarius in seminario Neapolitano educatus, et duo fratres Cognomine Dunning, filii Mulieris nuper ad fidem conversae Quorum junior (Franciscus) ut fidei Catholicae ac Litterarū Rudimentis institueretur Collegii Convictoribus aggregatus est.

\* Son and heir of Robert Blundell of Ince-Blundell, Lancs., and Katherine daughter of Sir Rowland Stanley. Born 1724; died 1810. See memoir, Gillow, *Dict.* 1, 244.

† Ordained at Naples; laboured many years on the mission in England: about 1771 retired to Rome where he died 13 April 1776.



*Maius.*

Die 5 Maii intra missarū solemnia sacram Concionem habuit Ill: Deboensis in Ecclesia Collegii, super hoc textu *Reliquimus omnia et scruti sumus te.*

Die 12 bis Concionatus est modò dictus Epòs viz mane intra missarum solemnia, et a meridie Collaturus Sacramentū Confirmationis pluribus studiosis de nostro Coll Benedictinorum Anglorū et Scotorum S.J. Collegiis et etiam nonnullis Belgis.

[p. 266] Die 13 Cum Illus: Deborensi Insulas profectus est D. Praeses, Parisios mox iturus ob Collegii negotia.

Die 19 Maii a Collegio discesserunt secundi anni Philosophi Georgius Gorsuch et Jacobus Gage jam secundò.

Die 21 ad Collegium venit Pierius Brown (vere Butler) \* frater Baronis Dunboyne, Hibernus.

Die 28 a patre evocatus discessit Jos: Kelly hibernus 2<sup>di</sup> anni Theologus Convictor.

Die 29 Praeside R.D. Josepho Barnes Logicum propugnarunt manè Gulielm Gant Robertus Johnson, a meridie Edoardus Elms Henricus Edmondson.

Die 31 Mane Francis Kennedy Robertus Hodgson; a meridie vero Jacobus King (Green) Joannes Talbot.

*Junius.*

Die 4 Junii Thomas Radclyffe ad Collegium venit Rudimentis operam daturus.

Die 5 Gulielmus Dicconson eo quod poenitentiam sibi a superiori injunctam subire pertinaciter respuisset, e Collegio dimissus est, Grammaticus.

Die 8 Sabb. 4tem: Pent: ad sacerdotium evectus est Rev. D. Joannes Dun (ad primam vero tonsuram pridie illius Diei Joan: Strickland Joan Ball, et Joan Lodge) et ad Diaconatum Hugo Edmonson, ordines conferente Illo Feneborensi Epo in seminario dicto Beuvrage prope Walencenas.

Die 13 In festo SS. Corporis Xti Primitias suas Deo consecrant R.D. Jo. Dun supradictus.

Die 17 cum injunctione a superioribus poenam subire nollet è Collegio expulsus est Gulielmus Howe grammaticus.

Die 19 Junii ob infirmam valetudinem discessit Jac Ayles syntaxianus.

Die 27 etc. Theses Philosophiae universae graecè et Latinè Praeside R.D. Gulielmo Walton, propugnarunt manè Gul: Wilkinson.

(Die 28) manè Hen Grahams a meridie Nicolaus Jernegan.

*Julius.*

Die 1 Julii manè Thomas Shepherd, à meridie Guli: Salvin. (eodem Die ad Collegium accessit Andreas Russel ex Insulis Canariis oriundus).

Die 2 Julii manè Philippus Basset (verè Jones).

Die 4 in angliam profecti sunt Rev. D. Gul. Walton et Hen Grahams,

\* Pierce Butler, afterwards Lord Dunboyne, second son of Edmond, 17th Baron Dunboyne and Anne dau. of Oliver Grace Esq. He succeeded his brother as 19th Baron in 1768, married Maria dau. of George Macnamara Esq., and died 20 Aug. 1773.

ad invisendum propinquos una etiam profectus est Joan: Stanley, ad sanitatem recuperandam omnes Deo favente ad Collegium reversuri.

Diebus 8 et sqq: Praeside R.D. Albano Butler, Theses theologicæ de Sacramentis propugnarunt D.D. Carolus Cordel, Guli Pennington (die 9) Jacobus Dixon et Joan Strickland (die 10) Philippus Warham, Joan Sergeant.

Die 11 ad Collegium rediit D. Praeses cum eo venerunt Sap: Mag: Matt. Beare Seminarii Anglo-Parisini Superior et Nobiles Juvenes Jacobus Talbot (jam secundo) Jacobus Gough, hic Rudimentis, ille Dialecticæ operam daturus.

Die 22 In missionem anglicanam profectus est R.D. Josephus Barnes Dioec: Carliolensis qui litteras humaniores tribus et Philosophiam totidem annis docuerat. Unâ cum eo discessit Gulielmus Salvin completis studiis philosophicis.

Die 1 Julii accessit ad Collegium Andreas Russel ex Insulâ Teneriff. \*  
[p. 267] Die 23 Julii ad Collegium venerunt Georgius Bishop et Gulielmus Rayment: Rudimentis vacaturi.

*Augustus.*

Die 19 Augusti Henricus Titchbourn Blount Theologiae studiosus Neoportam profectus est ad Carthusianos Anglos ut si valetudo sineret illorum sacro ordini adscriberetur.

Die 22 ex Medicorum consilio Neoportam adiit D. Praeses, ut aquis marinis pro Balneo uteretur.

Die 28 ad collegium venit Bernardus Baron Rudimentis operam daturus.

Die 29 è Collegio ad Seminarium Anglo-Parisinum abiit Franciscus Hinde Dialecticus.

❖ *Septembr.*

Die 2 Septembris piè obiit Sapientissimus M. N. Matthaeus Beare hujus Collegii alumnus, sac: Fac Parisiensis Doctor et seminarii Anglo-Parisini superior. Sit in pace locus ejus et in sanctâ Sion habitatio illius! fiat, fiat.

Die 3 in Ecclesiâ parochiali Sti Jacobi sepultus est supradictus D. Beare.

Eodem die in missionem anglicanam profecti sunt R.R.D.D. Thomas Shimel, Emericus Grimalston et Joannes Harrison Presbyteri. una cum eis discessit Dionysius Mills e Rudimentis.

Die 12 ad Collegium rediit D. Praeses, et cum eo ad Collegium venit Joannes Collins Rudimentis vacaturus.

Die 21 Sabb. 4 Temp ab Ill<sup>o</sup> Epo Feneborensi in seminario dicto Beuvrage prope Valencenas sacerdotes ordinati sunt R.R.D.D. Joannes Bosvile Landaffensis (hfc Roberts) et Hugo Edmondson Cestriensis.

Eodem Die ad Collegium venit Thomas Clifton de Laythom† Rudi-

\* Duplicated entry.

† Eldest son of Thomas Clifton of Clifton, Westby and Lytham, Esq., and Hon. Mary Molyneux dau. of Richard, fifth Viscount Molyneux; born 9 Jan. 1728. He succeeded to the estates when six years old. He afterwards married three times:—(i) Catherine Eyre of Hassop, co. Derby, (ii) Ann, dau of Sir Carnaby Huggerton, Bart., and (iii) Lady Jane Bertie, dau. of Willoughby, third earl of Abingdon. He died 11 May, 1783.



mentis operam daturus [*in margin*] Die 21 sept. juramentū alumnorum praestiterunt tres juvenes Dioec: Cestrensis viz. Gul: Fletcher qui philosophiam universam propugnauerat et Ed: Helmes et Gulielm Gant Physici.

Die 23 Primitias suas Deo consecrarunt D. Bosville et D. Edmundson suprascripti.

*October.*

Die 3 Octobris ad Collegium ex Angliā rediit Hen: Graham Theologiae operam daturus, unā cum eo venit Henricus Segrave.

Die 25 R.D. Gul: Walton (qui die 4 hujus mensis ex Angliā ad Collegium redierat) Facultates ad Confessiones audiendas ab Ill<sup>o</sup> Atrabatensi recepit.

Die 28 parentum jussu ē Collegio discessit Josephus Hay Poeta ē Portu S. Maclovii oriundus.

*Nov.*

Die Novembris in vigilia S. Caroli Boromaei (ex dispensatione S. Cong. de Propag: Fide) juramentum alumnorum praestitit Philippus Warham Dioec Dubliniensis Patre Anglo Matre vero Hiberna natus 2<sup>di</sup> jam anni Theologus.

[p. 268] Die 17 Nov: ad Collegium jam secundo venit Jacobus Postlethwate Rhetorica operam daturus unā cum eo accesserunt Joannes et Henricus\* fratres ejus Rudimentis vacaturi.

Die 18 Discesserunt a Collegio Henricus et Georgius Doughty, fratres, Logici.

Die 19 discessit Pierius Brown ē Rudimentis (verē Butler).

Die 23 Franciscus et Antonius Fleming fratres, e portu S. Mariae Hispani, ad Collegium venerunt, primis Linguae Latinae atque Anglicanae Rudimentis imbuendi.

Die 24 Sapien: M.N. Josephus Holden, Seminarii Anglo-Parisiensis superior electus.† Iter suum prosecutus est postquam per dies aliquot hic commoratus fuerat.

December: N.B. hoc anno 1743 numerus Alumnorum et Convictorum in Collegio fuit 127.

*Anno 1744.*

*Januarius.*

Die 5 Januarii ex Angliā ad Collegium rediit Joannes Stanley Alumnus, Subdiaconus, Theologus 2<sup>di</sup> anni, cum eodem accessit Jacobus Webb.‡ Rudimentis vacaturus.

*Feb:*

Feb. Die 24, februarii Praeside R.D. Gulielmo Walton Theses philosophiae naturalis propugnauerunt Gul: Gant et Hen: Edmondson manē, a meridie vero Edoardus Helms et Robertus Johnson.

\* John was ordained about 1754 and lived many years at Leyburn in Yorkshire where he died 5 Jan. 1785; Henry died a deacon at Douay 13 Oct. 1753 (a correction for *Lisbon Register*, p. 241, which speaks of him as a priest).

† See *St. Gregory's Register Book* C. R. S. XIX 127, 135, etc.

‡ Son of William Webb and Philippa Darrell, born in London 7 Dec. 1726: ordained about 1754; missionary at Virginia Street, London. He was tried for his priesthood before Lord Mansfield June 1768 (see report of the trial in Barnard's *Life of Challoner*) and was acquitted through the judge's ruling that the prosecution must prove the fact of ordination. He died in London 15 April 1781.

Die 26 easdem Theses sustinuerunt Fran: Kennedy et Robertus Hodgson manè, a meridie Jacobus King (Green) et Joannes Talbot.

*Martius.*

Die 5 Martii sacrum solemne votivum de S. Thoma Cantuariensi Achēpo et Martyre Cantavimus pro felici successu armorum Regis Christianissimi pro restauratione Legittimi Britannorum Regis sump-torum, uti speramus.

Die 13 a Collegio Audomarensi huc cum Patre suo accessit Georgius Beaumont (verè Tasburgh) \* Poeta.

Die 19 Atrebatum profectus D. Praeses cum sequentibus alumnis ordinandis, Philippo Warham (Armachanae Dioecesis) Gulielmo Fletcher Thoma Shepherd et Philippo Jones hi quatuor pro tonsura clericali et quatuor minoribus presentandi duo etiam postremi pro sacro sub-diaconatu cum Joanne Lodge Acolytho. pro Diaconatu autem Jacobus Dixon, Gul. Pennington et Joan: Stanley: pro presbyteratu demum Geo Shuttleworth Joannes Serjeant et Lucas Potts..

[p. 269] Die 21 ab Illus<sup>mo</sup> Atrebatensi ordinati sunt respective Retros-cripti Alumni.

*April.*

Die 5 Aprilis in Festo Resurrectionis Dñi Primitias suas consecrârunt R.R.D.D. Geo Shuttleworth, Joa Serjeant et Lucas Potts.

Die 7 discessit Christophorus Clough Syntaxianus.

Die 16 S. M. N. Christophorus Stonor Sac: Fac: Parisiensis Doctor Theologus, cum Philippo Perry Seminarii Anglo-Parisini alumno, ad Collegium venit.

Die 20 discessit Antonius Hornyold Poeta.

*Maius.*

Die 5 Maii accessit Georgius Jernagan † ad Rudimenta.

Die 9 Maii in Angliam profecti sunt S. M. N. Ch: Stoner et D. Perry supradicti.

Die 26 discessit Jacobus Longville Logicus.

Die 30 accessit ad primam Classem Rudimentorum. Joan Towneley. ‡

*Junius.*

Die 1<sup>o</sup> Junii discessit Fra: Creagh Grammaticus.

Die 4 discesserunt Thoms et Fran: Talbot Syntaxiani.

Die 12 Praeside R.D. Thoma Worswick Theses Philosophiae Rationalis propugnarunt manè Dominicus Fleming Franciscus Dunn, a meridie vero Jac: Talbot Pet: Beeston.

Die 13 easdem propugnarunt mane Henricus Blount Philippus Jones: a meridie autem Edmundus Jones et Hen: Stanley, verè Blundell.

Die 16 discesserunt Joa: Milner Philosophus et Ed Collins gram:

\* Geo Tasburgh *alias* Beaumont.

† Son of Edward Jerningham (brother of Sir George Jerningham of Cossey Park, Norwich) and Elizabeth dau. of John Keighley Esq. He joined Buckley's Irish Brigade in the service of France and died without issue at an early age.

‡ Probably to be identified with John, second son of Richard Towneley of Towneley, Esq. and the Hon Mary Widdrington dau. of William, Lord Widdrington; born 15 June 1731. Settled at Cornsay House and married Barbara, fourth dau. of Edward Dicconson of Wrightington Hall, Lancs., Esq. In 1807 he succeeded to the Towneley estates on the death of his nephew Edward Townley-Standish, and died 13 May, 1813.



Die 23 ad seminarium Parisiense profectus est Alexander Taylor Rhetor  
Die 30 discessit Carolus Ingleby Rhetor.

*Julius.*

Die 1 Julii Praeside R.D. Thoma Roydon Theses Theologiae universae propugnavit D. Jacobus Dixon Diaconus.

Die 14 in missionem anglicanam profecti sunt R.R.D.D. Thomas Roydon S.T.P. et Hugo Edmondson quarto jam anno theologus.

Die 6, 7 manè, 8, nono manè et 10, Praeside Rev: Dno Gul: Walton Theses Philosophiae universae Latine et græcè, Hoc ordine propugnavit Gulielmus Gant alumnus Ed Helms alumnus, Fran: Kennedy Convictor, Joannes Talbot convictor, Hen: Edmondson convictor. Rob. Johnson convictor Rob: Hodgson Convictor, Jacobus King (verè Green) alumnus.

[p. 270] Die 21, 22, 23 manè et 24, Praeside R.D. Albano Butler Theses Theologicae de virtutibus Theologicis, Gratiâ et Constitutione *Unigenitus* propugnatae sunt a sequentibus theologiae studiosis hoc ordine respondentibus viz Carolo Cordell Diac. Gul: Pefington Diac: Joanne Lodge Subd: Phil Basset (vere Jones) subd: Joa: Strickland acolytho Hen Grahams convictore, R.D. Joan: Serjeant.

Die 25 in missionem Anglicanam directus est R.D. Georgius Shuttleworth (hic Haydocke) cum eodem in angliam profecti sunt R.D. Albanus Butler et Joan: Talbot qui supra, circa finem vacationum longiorum ad Collegium ambo reversuri.

Eod<sup>m</sup> Die 25 ad Collegium venerunt Thomas Savage et Joannes Fuller\* rudimentis vacaturi.

Die 28 discesserunt Christophorus Taylor Poeta et Guliel: Storey Syntaxianus.

*Aug:*

Die 11 Augusti ad Collegium accesserunt Jacobus et Lucas Robinson fratres, missi huc ab Hon: Philippo Howard de Norfolciâ.

Die 16 Discessit a Collegio prænobilis juvenis Thomas Howard (hic Savile) de Norfolciâ Syntaxianus.

*September.*

Die 4 Septembris Parentum jussu Parisios profectus est Ed: Blount Poeta.

Die 20 in Angliam profectus est Joannes Colins ex infima Classe Rudimentorum.

*Octob.*

Die 1 octobris ad Collegium venit Jacobus Helye Dunkirkanus.

Die 2 ex Anglia rediit R.D. Albanus Butler S.T.P<sup>r</sup>. Una que, jam

\* Son of Richard Fuller of London and Mary Slaughter. After ordination he was priest at Moorfields for many years. He was indicted for his priesthood but acquitted. Some years before his death he retired to Douay where he died 22 Feb. 1792.

secundo, venerunt Hen Tichbourn Blount et Joannes Talbot Theologiae operam daturi.

Die 6 R.D. Tho Howard Canonicus Ecclesiae S. Petri Convictor è Collegio discessit ut in urbe commoraretur.

Die 9 ex Angliâ, recuperatâ jam valetudine rediit D. Joannes Worthington Acolythus cum eo venerunt duo pueri Fran: Cliffe\* et Thomas Slaughter Rudimentis vacaturi.

Die 20 accesserunt Joa Bloomer, Joa Taylor† et Joa Gildon primis linguae Latinae elementis imbuendi.

*Novemb.*

[p. 271] Die 2 Nov. discesserunt Carolus Cary et Jos Williams Syntaxiani.

*Decembr.*

Die 2 Decembris R.D. Fra. Petre Vicepraeses et Oeconomus Dunkirkam profectus est.

Die Decemb. 19 Sabb. 4 Temp. ab Ill<sup>mo</sup> Atrebatensi Atrebatii Presbyteri: ordinati sunt Carolus Cordell, Gulielmus Pennington et Joannes Stanley Diaconi eodem tempore ordinati sunt Joan Lodge et Thomas Shepherd: Subdiaconi vero Philippus Powel Warham, et Gulielmus Fletcher hîc Wilkinson.

Die 25 Primitias suas Deo consecrârunt supradicti novelli sacerdotes.

Die 29 hinc ad Collegium Audomarense profectus est Benedictus Wakeman (hîc Franciscus Mannock) Syntaxianus.

Hoc anno 1744 in Collegio sustentati sunt 123, praeter famulos.

*Anno 1745.*

*Januarius.*

[p. 272] Die 7 Januarii a Collegio discessit Edoardus Dicconson Poëta.

Die 13 Hen: Blount secundi jam anni Philosophus discessit.

Die 14 ad Collegium Rediit Rev. D. Petre Vicepraeses oekonomus etc.

*February.*

Die 22 feb Praeside R.D. Thomâ Worswick Theses Philosophiae Naturalis propugnârunt manè Dominicus Fleming et Franciscus Dunn, a meridie Jacobus Talbot et Philippus Jones.

Die 23 easdem Theses sustinuerunt Petrus Beeston et Gulielmus Errington, a meridie autem Edmundus Jones et Hen: Stanley (verè Blundell de Ince).

*Martius.*

Die 6 Martii ad Collegium venerunt Pierius et Thomas Mostyn‡ Fratres. Pierius Rhetoricae Thomas Rudimentis operam daturus.

Die 22 discessit Hen: Bishop Syntaxianus.

\* Son of Thomas Cliffe of Windle, Lancs., and Elizabeth dau. of Thomas Naylor of Asbton-in-Makerfield. He was ordained priest and laboured in Lancashire. See memoir C.R.S., xv 53.

† Son of John Taylor and Catherine Blevin, ordained priest about 1755 and died in Yorkshire 22 Jan. 1804.

‡ Eldest and third sons respectively of Sir George Mostyn of Talacre, 4th Bart., and Teresa dau. of Charles Towneley Esq. of Towneley. Pyers was born 1 Jan. 1727 and died unmarried; Thomas, born on 2 March 1732, married Mary Catherine, eldest dau. of Henry Lord Teynham, and died 4 Oct. 1799.



*Aprilis.*

Die 22 Aprilis Dominicus Fleming Hispanus, 2<sup>di</sup> jam anni Philosophus discessit a Collegio.

*Maius.*

Die 19 Maii Praeside R.D. Gulielmo Walton Theses Theologicae de actibus humanis, peccatis, Legibus, et Mysterio Incarnationis Propugnatae sunt a R.D. Joanne Stanley manè et D. Joanne Lodge a meridie.

Die 21 easdem Theses sustinuerunt D. Philippus Basset verè Jones, manè; et a meridie Philippus Warham, et

Die 22 Henricus Grahams manè, et R.D. Gulielmus Pennington a meridie.

Die 29 discessit Joannes Daniel Logicus.

*Junius.*

Die 1 Junii Praeside R.D. Joanne Dunn Theses Logicae sustinuerunt manè Jacobus Postelwhate et Franciscus Bishop.

Die 2 easdem sustinuerunt manè Arthurus Vaughan et Joa: Simpson, a meridie verò Joa: Taprell et Antonius Morin.

Eodem die ad Collegium ex oppido reversus est R.D. Thomas Howard Canonicus S. Petri.

Eodem die Hugo Kennedy (hic Anderson) Grammaticus Hibernus a Collegio demissus est eo quod subire pertinaciter recusaverit poenam sibi a Superioribus injunctam.

[p. 273] Die 12 Sabb. 4 temp. ab Ill<sup>mo</sup> Atreb: Atrebati tonsurâ clericali et 4 minoribus ordinibus initiati sunt Jacobus Green (hic King) Gulielmus Gant et Edoardus Helms. ad sacrum Subdiaconatûs ordinem promotus est Joannes Ball (hic Worthington) ad Diaconatum Philippus Powel Warham et ad Presbyteratum Jacobus Dixon.

Die 22 ad Collegium ex Angliâ accessit R. D. Georgius Hardwick hujus Domûs sacerdos et alumnus et cum eo venerunt sex juvenes viz. Georgius et Thomas Heneage\* fratres, Joanes Robertus et Edoardus Beaumont† fratres et Thomas Hickin (Manby).

Die 24 Primitias suas Deo consecravit praedictus sacerdos novellus.

Die 30 Dño Christophoro Leyfield successit D. Gulielmus Daniel in officio Praefecti Generalis.

*Julius.*

Die 5 Julii Praeside R.D. Thoma Worswick Theses Philosophiae Universae propugnatae sunt Respondentibus manè Petro Beeston et a meridie Henrico Blondel, hic Stanley.

Die 6 easdem theses sustinuit manè Franciscus Dunn.

\* George Fieschi Heneage and Thomas Heneage were half brothers, George Fieschi being the son of Thomas Henry Heneage by his first wife Anna Maria, daughter of Roboaldo Fieschi, Count de Lavagno, while Thomas was born of his second marriage to Katharine, eldest dau. of John Francis Newport Esq. of St. John's, Pelham, Herts. George Fieschi Heneage married in 1755 the Hon. Catherine Petre, eldest dau. of Robert James Lord Petre. See Burke's *Commoners*, 1838, iv, 104.

† Eldest three sons of John Beaumont of Barrow, Derbyshire, and Joyce dau. of John Johnson, Esq. John born in 1731 succeeded to the estates and died unmarried 21 July 1806; Robert, also born in 1731, married Ann Wild and died 14 Sept. 1796. Edward, born in 1732, was ordained priest and in 1758 became chaplain to the Duke of Norfolk at Norwich where he died 1 Aug. 1820. See Gillow *Dict.* i, 160.

Eod. Die piè obiit morbo variolarum Edmundus Jones et postridie sepultus est, jam studia Philosophiae absolveret et primus erat suae Classis.

Die 7 mane praedictas Theses sustinuit Philippus Jones frater major natu mox memorati defuncti et a meridie Jacobus Talbot.

Eod Die in Angliam reversus est supradictus D. Harwick et cum eo in Missionem Anglicanam profecti sunt D.D. Carolus Needham musaei praefectus, Confessarius et Concionator ordinarius, et D. Leyfield expraefectus Generalis et metu variolarū Dunkircā abiit Mr. Grahams Theologus.

Diebus 9, 10 et 12 Praeside R.D. Albano Butler Theses Theologiae universae propugnarunt, hoc ordine, R.D. Carolus Cordell, Mr. Joannes Strickland Acolythus et R.D. Joannes Serjeant.

Die 13 ad collegium venit Petrus Jackson Italus cum eo venit N. Angel\* Collegii Romani Sacerdos.

Die 25 Julii in missionem profectus est R.D. Gulielmus Pennington, cum eo a Collegio discessit Jacobus Brown (verè Ld. Donboyne) Dialecticus.

#### *Augustus.*

Die 2 Augusti in missionem anglicanam abierunt R.D.D. Joannes Sergeant Lucas Pots et Jacobus Dixon eosdem comitatus est Mr. Nicolaus Jernegan Theologus 24<sup>th</sup> anni.

Eodem die Dunkirkam se recreandi gratiā profecti sunt R.D. Albanus Butler et Joannes et Jacobus Talbot fratres.

[p. 274] Die 3 ad Collegium venit Nicolaus Butler Rudimentis vacaturus.

Die 14 Dunkircā, uti animos recreandi gratiā aliquamdiu commorati fuerant, Domum rediērunt R.D. Joannes Roberts (verè Bosvile) Mag<sup>r</sup> Joannes Strickland et Mag<sup>r</sup> Thomas Metcalfe Musices Professor.

Die 19 Dunkircā Reversi sunt R.D. Albanus Butler et Joannes et Jacobus Talbot Fratres.

Die 29 R.D. Jacobus Angel Collegii Romani Presbyter Angliam versus Iter suum prosecutus est.

#### *September.*

Die 3 Sept. Sacrum Solemne Cantatum est pro felici successu Serenissimi Principis Walliae in expeditione quam suscepit contra Georgium Hannoveriae Electorem injustum Sceptri Anglicani usurpatorem.

Die 6 a Collegio discessit Hugo Anderson (vere Kennedy) Hibernus, Grammaticae Auditor.

Die 8 juramentum alumnorum praestiterunt Mag<sup>r</sup> Hen: Edmondson Dioecesis Cestrensis primi anni Theologus, Petrus Beeston Dioecesis Lincolnensis, et Franciscus Dunn Dioecesis Dunelmensis anno proximo Theologiae operam daturi; et Jacobus Postelwhate Dioecesis Cestrensis, secundi anni Philosophus.

Die 16 Joannes Sympton Physicae Auditor a Collegio discessit et

\* Rev. James Angle, born in Essex, 20 Feb. 1720; son of James Angle and Elizabeth Hood; ordained at Rome 24 Feb. 1745; chaplain to Sir John Moore at Fawley, Bucks. 1745-1765 and afterwards to Mrs. Eyston of East Hendred where he died 18 May 1775.



Parisios profectus est ut in conventu Benedictinorum Anglorum sacrum Religionis Habitum reciperet.

Die 19 R.D. Albanus Butler S.T. Prof ex medicorum consilio versus australes Galliarum Plagas profectus est valetudinis ergo eum comitati sunt Joannes et Jacobus Talbot jussu matris suae, Comitissae Salopia. Horum prior primū theologiae annum alter studia Philosophica absolverat.

Die 25 Ad Collegium venit Gulielmus Bellew\* Hibernus, decem circiter annorum puer.

Die 30 Domum Rediit Mr. Hen: Grahams de quo supra die 7 Julii.

*October.*

Die 5 Octobris a Collegio Audomorensi huc venit Jacobus Blount Logicae vacaturus.

Die 7 Sacrum Solemne cantatum est pro Prosperitate Armorum Serenissimi Principis Walliae.

Die 13 in festo S. Edoardi Anglorum Regis pro dicta intentione sacrum solemne celebratum est, et deinceps singulis septimanis semel saltem. Circa hoc tempus certior factus est D. Praeses Philippum et Joannē Jones, qui, ob metum variolarum Camaracū iverant; ad Collegium denuo non reversuros.

[p. 275] Die 20 Octob: accessit Joannes Pouldon Hispanus Rudimentis vacaturus, et linguae anglicanae.

Die 25 accessit cum R.D. Jos: Sall hujus Collegii alumno Jacobus Lolly.†

Die 27 finitis Philosophiae studiis Parisios profectus est Hen: Stanley (vere Blundell de Ince).

Eodem die Lovanium abiit Rev. D. Joannes Stanley, ut apud moniales anglas Socii Confessarii munere: Loco Dni Melling defuncti, fungeretur.

*Novemb.*

Die 21 Novemb. Juramentum alumnorum praestitit Joannes Hawarden Logicus.

*Decemb.*

Die 15 decemb. ad Collegium jam secundo venit Nicolaus Jernagan 3<sup>ii</sup> jam anni Theologus.

Circa initium hujus mensis R.D. Jos: [Sall] cum propter temporū perturbationem in angliam transfretare non posset ad Collegium Caeto rediit.

Die 18 Atrebatī ad sacerdotium promotus est R.D. Thomas Shepherd ad Diaconatum Joannes Ball, hic Worthington ambo Dioecesis Cestriensis.

Die 20 et duobus sequentibus, pro felici successu armorum serenissimi Principis Walliae Preces 40 Horarum in Collegio habitae sunt de consensu Epi Atrebatensis.

\* Fourth son of Sir Edward Bellew of Barmeath, Louth, Ireland and Eleanor, dau. of Michael Moore, Esq.

† James Lolly (in the entry of his oath in the first Douay Diary called Stephen) born in London, was the son of Romuald Lolli and Anne Chandler. He was of a restless disposition; after ordination served several missions in the Midlands, then became a physician, was afterwards made bankrupt and died penitent in King's Bench prison, 13 April, 1779.

Die 29 Primitias suas Deo consecravit R.D. Tho. Shepard supradictus.

N.B. hoc anno 1745 numerus eorum, qui in Collegio sustentati sunt fuit 115, praeter famulos.

Anno 1746.

*Januarius.*

Die 10 Januarii Sacrum solemne cantatum est, pro Felici successu Armorum Principis Ser: Walliae et D. Praeses omnes Collegiales, et superiores Benedictinorum Franciscanorum Anglorum nec non Jesuitarum Scotorum ad Prandium Convivio excepit.

*Februar.*

Die 18 Feb: Praeside R.D. Joanne Dunn Theses Philosophiae naturalis propugnarunt Jacobus Postelwhate et Antonius Morin mane, a meridie vero Joa: Taprell et Arthurus Vaughan.

Eodem die R.D. Emericus Grimalston Hujus Collegii Alumnus ad nos venit ex Angliâ.

*Martius.*

[p. 276]. Die 7 Martii Nobilis Juvenis Thomas Clifton, cum tutore suo R.D. Grimalston praedicto, Parisios profectus est.

Die 9 Franciscus et Antonius Fleming fratres Hispani Matris jussu a Collegio discesserunt; fuerunt ambo in primâ classe rudimentorum.

Die 26 Sabbato ante Dominicam Passionis atrebatî ad sacerdotium promotus est Joannes Ball Dioec: Cestrensis: ad Diaconatum Philippus Jones Landaffensis et Gulielmus Fletcher Cestrensis Dioec: ad subdiaconatum Joannes Strickland Londinensis, Jacobus Green item Lond: Gulielmus Gant Cestrensis et Edoardus Helmes item Cestren: et ad tonsuram clericalem 4 minores et Sacrum Subdiaconatum Henricus Edmondson Cestrensis Gulielmus Errington Wintoniensis et Franciscus Dunn Dunelmensis.

*Aprilis.*

Die 20 Aprilis Exim D. Praeses Atrebatum profectus est ad Invisendum Serenissimum Principem Henricum Ducem Eboracensem a quo ad osculum manus et alloquium mirâ Humanitate et Benevolentia admissus est.

Die 27 R.D. Josephus Sall Atrebatum profectus est ut mox memorati Principis mandata exciperat; Illi a Confessionibus brevi futurus.

*Maius.*

Die 5 Maii discessit Mr. Nicholaus Jernegan tertii jam anni Theologus; eo quod studia non ulterius prosequi, nec statum ecclesiasticum amplecti statueret.

Die 7 R.D. Jos Sall nos reliquit mox memorato Duci eboracensi a sacris Confessionibus futurus.

Die 10 accessit ad Collegium Joachim Palyart ulyssiponensis infimam Rudimentorum Classem frequentaturus.

Die 18 R.D. Turbervillus Needham cum nobili Juvene N Kennady Parisios proficiscens nos invisit et nobiscum quatuor circiter dies commoratus est.

Die 28 Parisiis huc accessit Joannes Manning\* Rudimentis vacaturus.

\* This boy was born about 1732 and was admitted at St. Gregory's Paris 1744, to be trained up for that Seminary. After two years in Paris he was sent to Douay, but



Missus a Sap M. N. Josepho Holden Seminarii Sti Gregorii superiore.

*Junius.*

Die 4 Junii Sabbato ante Dominicam SS. Trinitatis ad sacrum Presbyteratus ordinem al Ill<sup>mo</sup> Iprensi Epo Ipris promoti sunt D.D. Hugo Kendall et Gulielmus Fletcher (hic Wilkinson) ambo Dioecesis Cestrensis.

Die 10 et 11 Praeside R.D. Thoma Worswick Theses Philosophiae Rationalis propugnarunt hoc ordine ejus discipuli Joannes Hawarden et Thomas Havers Radulphus Clavering et Pierius Mostyn: die 11 Petrus Giffard et Jacobus Blunt Michael Bellew et Thomas Thompson vere Barnaby.

[p. 277.] Die 14 Serenissimus Dux Eboracensis per hanc urbem transiens omnes Collegiales ad osculum manus perhumanè admisit.

Die 17 R.D. Albanus Butler S. T. Prof: ad Collegium rediit cum Nobilibus fratribus Joanne, Jacobo et Thoma Talbot è Comitibus Salopiae. è quibus Joannes qui jam unum annum Theologiae in Collegio hoc studuerat ad mensam Seniorum admissus est, Jacobus vero studia Theologiae et Thomas Logicae Deo Dante inchoaturi.

Eodem die et in eorum comitatu ad nos invisendum accessit R.D. Joannes Wilkinson Confessarius Sanctimonialium ord. S. Aug. Parisiis existentium.

Eodem die Joannes Jernegan\* filius nati maximus Georgii Jernegan equitis aurati Parisiis ad Collegium venit Rudimenta frequentaturus.

Die 19 Primitias suas Deo consecrarunt RR. D.D. Hugo Kendal et Gul. Fletcher, a Rhetoribus et Poetis inter prandendum carminibus salutati.

Die 20 Edoardus Gough Syntaxianus discessit.

Diebus 25 et 27 Praeside R.D. Gulielmo Walton Theses theol: De Deo uno et Trino propugnarunt Jacobus King (vere Green) Subdiac. Edoardus Helms Subd: Petrus Beeston Alumnus et Philippus Basset (vere Jones) Diaconus.

*Julius.*

Die 7 Julii accessit Edoardus Blythe a Sereniss: Duce Eboracensi Praesidi Commendatus.

Die 10 Parisios profectus est Ex. D. Praeses in comitatu R.D. Joa Wilkinson, D. Petri Creagh Hispani, hujus Collegii olim Studiosi et Convictoris, et Ed Warton (vere Rog Strickland) Syntaxiani.

Diebus 11, 12 manè et 13 Julii Praeside R.D. Jo: Dunn Philosophiam defenderunt Jacobus Postelwhate, Arthurus Vaughan Fran: Bishop; Anton: Morin Joa Taprell.

Die 16 accessit Ricardus Gough Hispanus è Gadibus.

Die 23 Accessit Petrus Browne† Lusitanus ex ô Porto.

left for England 30 Sept. 1748. He entered the English College, Rome, 8 Nov. 1749, was ordained priest in 1756 and after being missionary at Derby for some years went to Longford near Newport, Salop, where he died in July 1783.

\* Eldest son of Sir George Jerningham of Costessey Park, Norwich, fifth Baronet, and Mary, dau. of Francis Plowden Esq. He predeceased his father, dying of the small-pox while on a visit at Stonor Park, Oxfordshire, on 30 June, 1757, aged 22.

† Born in Cadiz 1731 of an Irish father and English Mother. After ordination he was chaplain to the Sardinian Embassy, Lincoln's Inn Fields; elected a capitular 1760 and was Dean of the Chapter 1789 to his death 31 May, 1794.

Diebus 26 et 27 Julii Theses de decalogo et Ecclesiâ sub D. Alb: Butler defenderunt, Joa Lodge Gul: Gant, Hen: Edmondson Gul. Fletcher.

Die 27 accesserunt Bartholomæus et Jacobus Mills\* Londinensis fratres.

*Augustus.*

Die 2 Aug. theologiam universam sustinuit Phil: Warham sub D. Butler.

Die 8 Augusti In vineam anglicanam missus est R.D. Jo Roberts, vere Bosvile, Rhetoricae Professor Dioecesis Landaff.

Cum eo profectus est partim valetudinis partim propinquos invisendi causâ Magr Robertus Johnson 2<sup>di</sup> jam anni Theologus.

Eodem die discessit Thomas Havers Physicus.

Die 21 ad Collegium Parisiis rediit ex: D. Praeses unâque cum eo S.M.N. Carolus Howard, Doctor Parisiensis a mense Martio proxime elapso.

[p. 278.] Die 28 Dunquercam una profecti sunt D. Praeses et D. Howard mox memoratus.

Eodem die discessit Thomas Radcliffe, è Grammaticâ.

Die 29 discessit Jacobus Helije Dunquercanus è j<sup>a</sup> Classe Rudimentorū.

Die 30 Aug: discesserunt Fra: Dunning: grammaticus et Joannes Poulton ex Insulis Canariis oriundus.

*September.*

Die 28 Septemb Dunquercâ Domum redierunt S. M. N. Howard Convictor deinceps futurus, et D. Praeses.

*October.*

Die 1 Octobris ad Collegium venit Thomas Nevil verè Crathorne.† Rudimentis vacaturus.

Die 4 discesserunt Petrus Macclesfield Poeta et Thomas de la Rochâ Hispanus.

Die 10 Magr Henricus Grahams completis in studio theologiae tribus annis in angliam rediit a Patre Rogatus.

*November.*

Die 5 Novembris R.D. Thomas Howard Insignis ecclesiae S. Petri Canonicus pie obiit omnibus sacramentis moribundorum ritè praemunitus.

Die 6 Corpus praedicti ad sepulturam comitati sunt omnes è choro superpelliceis induti, coeteri collegiales habitu et more solito.

Die 17 discessit Thomas Savage Grammaticus.

Die 27 discessit Mr. Franciscus Bishop j anni theologus.

*December.*

Die 4 Decembris R. D. Edoardus Daniel hujus Collegii alumnus, cum duobus nobilibus pueris N.N. Townley nos invisit Parisios proficiscens.

Die 7 mox memorati Iter suum prosecuti sunt.

\* Sons of Catholic parents living in London. James was born 30 Oct. 1734 and after ordination was professor of Philosophy at Douay where he died 15 Oct. 1760.

† ? Was this Thos. Crathorne of Ness, see C. ped. vol II.



Die 17 Sabbato 4 temporum atrebatu ad sacerdotium promoti sunt Joannes Lodge et Philippus Jones, ad Diaconatum Joannes Strickland Gulielmus Gant Henricus Edmondson: ad subdiaconatum. 4 minores et Tonsurum Jacobus Postelwhite: aad 4 minores et Tonsuram Clericalem Petrus Beeston.

Eodem Die ad collegium accesserunt Rudimentis operam daturi Marmadukus Wilson\* (Langstaff) et Jacobus Dentry (Calvert).†

Die 25 Primitias suas Deo consecrarunt R. D. Joannes Lodge et R. D. Phil: Jones.

[In margin] Dec. 27 Juramentum alumnorum praestiterunt Fran: Kennedy, Joan Exley Joan Taperel et Arthurus Vaughan.

N.B. hoc anno 1746, exceptis famulis, sustentati sunt in Collegio 112.

Anno 1747.

Februarius.

[p. 279.] Die 4 feb discessit Andreas Russell Syntaxianus.

Die septimo discessit Henricus Seagrave Poeta.

Die 20 Praeside R. D. Thoma Worswick Theses Philosophiae naturalis propugnatae sunt. Respondentibus manè Joanne Hawarden et Thomâ Thompson a meridie vero Radulpho Clavering et Pierio Mostyn.

Die 21 manè easdem propugnarunt Michael Bellew et Petrus Giffard.

Die 26 in missionem profectus est R. D. Jo Ball.

Martius.

Die 4 Martii discessit Jacobus Blount Philosophus 2<sup>di</sup> anni.

Die 6 Discessit Pierius Mostyn supradictus et Lovanium ibit.

Die 12 Petrus Giffard mox memoratus discessit et Parisios profectus est Tutorum suorum jussu.

Die 30 ad Collegium accessit Bryanus Palms hic Plumpton.‡

Aprilis.

Die 2 Aprilis juramentum Alumnorum praestitit Philippus Butler Logicus.

Die 23 discessit Georgius Tasbourg Philosophus secundi anni.

Die 27 discessit Michael Bellew Philosophus etiam secundi anni.

Maius.

Die 5 Maii In Angliam abiit Thomas Walmesley Poeta.

Die 12 Antonius Morin theologus primi anni et Carolus ejus frater Syntaxianus discesserunt.

Die 27 Sabb: 4 tem: Pentecostes Montibus in Hannoniâ ab Archêpo Camaracensi ad sacrum Presbyteratus ordinem promoti sunt Gulielmus

\*Valentine Langstaff, alias Marmaduke Wilson was the son of Robert Langstaff of Rokeby Close, Hutton Long Villiers, Yorkshire and Mary Wilson. He was ordained priest in 1758, and having taught for a time left for England 11 Sept. 1760. He died at Appleton, Lancs., 25 Jan. 1823, aged over ninety.

† The name appears later as Daltry. He left next year to join the Benedictines but did not persevere.

‡ Younger son of George Palmes of Naburn Esq., and Frances dau. of Robert Plumpton of Plumpton, Esq.

§ Sons of a French gentleman. Charles had been sent to Douay on a fund belonging to St. Gregory's Seminary, Paris, but exception was taken to this on account both of his nationality and his youth. See C. R. S. XIX, 135.

Gant et Henricus Edmondson; ad Diaconatum Jacobus Green (hic King) et Edoardus Helmes; ad Tonsuram, 4 Minores et Subdiaconatum Hen. Tichbourn Blount Convictor.

*Junius.*

Die 2 Junii Praeside R. D. Jo: Dunn Logicam propugnârunt Tho Talbot et Edoardus Salvin mane: a meridie vero Philippus Butler et Joa: Nestfield.

Die 3 easdem theses sustinuerunt manè Geo: Gibson et Gul: Daniel (hic Foster): a meridie Robertus Banister et Jo: Chadwick.

[p. 280.] Die 4 Romam versus profectus est S. M. N. Carolus Howard Convictor.

Die 6 Accessit Joannes Jenison ad Rudimenta.

Die 29\* Juramentum alumnorum Pontificiorum praestiterunt Gulielmus Foster et Georgius Gibson supradicti.

Diebus 10, 12, 13 Praeside R.D. Gul: Walton Theses theologiae de Sacramentis propugnârunt R. D. Gul: Gant. D. Jacobus King: D. Edoardus Helms Mag Petrus Beeston: Mag Jacobus Talbot et R. D. Gul: Wilkinson.

Die 12 in Angliam abiit Jacobus Talbot.

Die 14 Robertus et Edoardus Smith (vere Butler) ex hiberniâ huc appulêrunt primis linguae latinae elementis imbuendi.

Die 24 accesserunt Carolus et Rádolphus Towneley:† et Carolus Jennet et Antonius Cavezas Hispani.

Diebus 26 et 27 Praeside R. D. Albano Butler Theologiam universam propugnârunt R. R. D. D. Philippus Jones et Joan Lodge.

Die 30 Praeside R. D. Thomâ Woswick Theses Philosophiae universae sustinuerunt Radulphus Clavering mane; et Thomas Thompson verè Barnaby, post meridiem.

*Julius.*

Die 1 Julii easdem sustinuit Joannes Hawarden.

Die 5 Radolphus Clavering mox memoratus (hic Stapylton) discessit a Collegio.

Die 15 patris sui jussu Insulas profectus est Fra: Wyke Syntaxianus.

*Aug.*

Die 6 Aug. R. R. D. D. Edoardus Ball Rhaeticae Prof. et Thomas Shepherd musaei Praefectus in vineam anglicanam missi sunt operarii unâ cum eis, ob infirmam valetudinem abiit Jacobus Lolly Grammaticus.

*September.*

Die 11 Sep. discesserunt Ed: Salvin Physicus et Thomas Witham (verè Gul: Ord) Poeta.

\* This entry is out of date.

† Charles was the eldest, Ralph the second son of William Towneley of Towneley Esq. and Cecilia dau. and heiress of Ralph Standish of Standish, Esq. by Lady Philippa Howard dau. of Henry, sixth duke of Norfolk. Charles was born 1 Oct., 1737; travelled widely and collected the Towneley marbles now in the British Museum. He died unmarried 3 Jan., 1805. Ralph, born 18 June, 1739, inherited his mother's estates and married Henrietta dau. of Roger Strickland of Catterick, Esq., but died without issue.



Die 12 discessit Jacobus Daltry (Calvert) et monastrū Bend. Ang. adiit.

Die 14 Jacobus Robinson (vere Comes de Fingall) et Lucas Robinson (verè Plunket) fratres, Syntaxiani Parisios jussu Hon: Philippi Howard de Norfolciā profecti sunt.

Die 22 a Patre evocatus discessit Joa: Beaumont Syntaxianus.

Die 23 Sabb: 4. Temp Ipris ad Presbyteratum promoti sunt Philippus Warham et Jo Strickland: ad Diaconatum Gul: Errington, Fra: Dunn, Jac: Postlethwaite et Hen: Tichbourn Blount Convictores (ad Tonsuram et 4 Min: pridie evecti) ad sacrum Subdiaconatum Fran: Kennedy, Ioa Exley: Ioa: Taperel et Arthurus Vaughan.

[Mr. Petre's handwriting ceases. The diary is continued in the writing of Dr. William Green, afterwards President. On internal evidence it appears that he transcribed this portion of the diary after his return in October, 1748, and possibly after he became President in 1750. The transcribed portion, composed in Mr. Petre's style though in Dr. Green's writing, ends 19 July 1749, after that date a marked change in style and in the Latinity indicates that it was Dr. Green's own composition].

Die 29 Ad collegium rediit Dnus Robertus Johnson: Studia theologica prosecuturus.

[p. 281.], Eodem die accesserunt literis operam daturi Matthaeus Gibson\* et Robbertus Warton (Strickland).

October.

1<sup>o</sup> Accessit ut literas disceret Edwardus Hawarden.†

3<sup>110</sup> Accessit Dnus Henricus Tichbourne Convictor.

4<sup>10</sup> Discessit Joannes Townley, Poeta.

18<sup>o</sup> Accessit Gul: Jerningham‡ Studiorum causā.

23<sup>o</sup> In missionem Anglicanam destinatus D: Joan: Strickland Parisios ad Seminarium Sti Greg: profectus est.

24<sup>o</sup> Eximius D. Gul Thornburgh Praeses Parisios valetudinis causa profectus, ibi per aliquot menses ad mortem usque afflictus est.

November.

6<sup>10</sup> Discessit Dnus Robertus Hodgshon: Theologus; et Georgius Plumpton Rhetor.

10<sup>o</sup> Ad collegium ex Angliā, quo die 12<sup>o</sup> Junii profectus fuerat, rediit Dnus Jacobus Talbot.

15<sup>o</sup> Discessit Gualterus Blount Rhetor.

23<sup>o</sup> Mortuus est Joannes Blythe.

\* Afterwards Bishop of Comana and V. A. Northern Dist. 1780-1790; fourth son of Jasper Gibson of Stonecroft, Durham and Margaret, dau. of Nicholas Leadbitter, of Nether Wenden near Hexham. Born 25 March, 1734; died 17 May, 1790. See *Gillow Dict.* III 444 and *D.N.B.* XXI, 281.

† Son of Caryl Hawarden and Catherine Crosby. After ordination was General Prefect from 1761. Afterwards he was missionary at Wrightington Lanes. where he died 17 Dec. 1793.

‡ Second son of Sir George Jerningham of Costessey Park, Norfolk, fifth Bart. and Mary, dau. of Francis Plowden of Plowden, Esq., born 7 March, 1736; succeeded to the baronetcy 1774. Married Hon. Frances Dillon dau. of Henry eleventh Viscount Dillon. Died 14 Aug., 1809.

29<sup>o</sup> Ad Collegium Studiorum causa accessit Jacobus Dormer.\*

*December.*

6<sup>o</sup> Discessit Georgius Bishop Grammaticus.

16<sup>o</sup> Accessit Alexander Joannes de Groot, ut literis operam daret.

*Catalogus eorum qui hoc anno In hoc Collegio fuerunt.*

*Seniores.*

Seniores.	{	Ex: D. Thornburgh Praeses.
		R: D: Fr: Petre Vicepraeses et Oeconomus.
		Sap: D: Car. Howard Conv: a 28 Sept <sup>a</sup> ad 4 <sup>tu</sup> Junii 1747.
		Dnus Alb: Butler Theologiae Professor, Studiorum Praefectus.
		Dnus Gul: Walton Theologiae Professor.
		Dnus Tho: Worswick Philosophiae: Professor.
		Dnus Joan: Dunn Logicae Professor.
		Dnus Gul: Daniel Profectus Generalis.

Dnus Joan: Talbot Convictor.

Professores.	{	D: Edw: Worthington Rhet.
		D: Car: Cordel Poesios.
		D: Tho: Shepherd Musaei.
		D: Hugo Kendall Rud.
		D: Joan Ball Theol: 4.†
		D: Gul Wilkinson Th: 3.
		D: Joan: Lodge Th: 4.
		D: Phil: Basset Th: 4.
		D: Phil: Warham Gram.
		D: Joan Strickland Synt.

D: Tho: Metcalfe Musices.

D: Hen: Tichborne Convict.

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*Theologi.*

D: Gul: Gant 3.	D: Fr: Kennedy 3.
D: Hugo Edmundson 3.	D: Pet: Beeston 2.
D: Jacobus King 3.	D: Joan: Exley 2.
D: Edw: Helmes 3.	D: Jac: Talbot Convict: 2.
D: Fran: Dunn 2.	D: Jaon: Taprell 1.
D: Gul: Errington 2.	D: Arth: Vaughan 1.
D: Jac: Postlewater 1.	D: Ant: Morin Convict 1.
D: Rob: Hodgshon 3.	D: Rob: Johnson Conv: 3.

*Philosophi 2 anni.*

Joan: Hawarden.	Geor: Tasborough.
Mich: Bellew.	Tho: Thompson.
Petrus Giffard.	Pierce Mostyn.
Rad: Stapylton.	Jacobus Blount.

*Philosophi 1 anni.*

Rob: Bannister.	Joan: Nesfield.
Philippus Butler.	Geor: Gibson.
Joan: Chadwick.	Thomas Talbot.
Gul: Foster.	Edwardus Salvin.

\* Third son of John, seventh Lord Dormer and Mary dau. of Sir Cecil Bisshop, Bart., of Parham, born 27 May, 1735, married Mary dau. of Patrick Purcil Esq. of Cadiz. Died 1817.

† These figures indicate in what year of Theology each student then was.



*Rhetores.*

Ant Clough.	Geo: Plumpton.
Jac: Wilson.	Rad Hodgshon.
Walterus Blount.	Bern: Baron.
Nic. Stapylton.	Jacobus Wyke.

*Poetae.*

Joan: Postlewater.	Hen: Segrave
Henr: Postlewater.	Joan: Towneley.
Tho: Witham.	Geo: Heneage.
Tho: Walmesley.	Jacobus Webb.

*Syntaxiani.*

Jac: Robinson.	And: Russel.
Lucas Robinson.	Franciscus Wyke
Gul: Rayment.	Rob. Birket.
Tho: Mostyn.	Jacobus Doughty.
Joan: Beaumont.	Carolus Morin.

*Grammatici.*

Rob: Strickland.	Tho: Hickins.
Tho: Wadding.	Jac: Gough.
Joan: O Dueyer.	George: Bishop.
Franc: Cliffe.	Jacobus Lolly.
Joan: Taylor.	Petrus Brown.

*Prima Cl: Rud.*

Tho: Heneage.	Geo: Jerningham.
Nic: Butler.	Joan: Bloomer.
Joan: Gildon.	Joan: Fuller.
Edw: Beaumont.	Joan: Manning.
Rob: Beaumont.	Joan: Jerningham.
Tho: Slaughter.	Barth: Mills.
Rob: Doughty.	

*2<sup>da</sup> et 3<sup>a</sup> Classis.*

Petrus Jackson.	Jacobus Mills.
Gul: Bellew.	Thomas Neville.
Joachim Palyart.	Marmad = Valentinianus Wilson.
Edw: Blythe	Jac: Daltry.
Ricardus Gough.	

*huius anni  
noviti.*

Brian: Plumpton (Palmes)	Ant: Cavezas.
Joan: Jenison.	Rob: Warton (Strickland).
Rob: Smith (Butler)	Matth: Gibson.
Edw: Smith (Butler)	Edw: Hawarden
Car: Towneley.	Gul: Jerningham.
Rad: Towneley.	Jac: Dormer.
Car: Jennett.	Alex. Joan. de Groot.

N.B.—Hoc anno sustentati sunt in Collegio, praeter famulos novem, centum collegiales. Et propter annonae caritatem, in singula capita expensae sunt librae Anglicanae.

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Anno 1747.

[p. 283]. Hoc anno mense Decembri ad Ordines promoti sunt:—

Ad Presbyteratum D: Gul: Errington.

Ad Diaconatum { D. Fr. Kennedy  
D. Joan: Exley  
D. Joan: Taprell }

ad Min et Subdiac. Mgr Joan: Talbot.

Ad min: tantum Mgr Jac: Talbot.

Anno 1748.

Die. Jan. 1748.

24<sup>to</sup>. Ad collegium accessit Stephanus Warrilow, ut Grammaticae operam daret.

10. Huc rediit D: Franc: Bishop, studia Theologica prosecuturus.

11. Rediit Dnus Ant: Morin ut Theologiae operam daret.

26. Huc accessit Rob: Lee ad Grammaticam.

Feb: 1748.

20. Ad Logicam huc rediit Georgius Plumpton Hoc mense Philosophiam Naturalem Sub Rev: Dno Joanne Dunn defenderunt qui sequuntur:

20. . . . . Manè { Tho: Talbot.  
Joan: Chadwick }

21. . . . . Manè { Phil: Butler } Eodem die { Rob: Banister:  
Gul: Foster } a meridie { Geo: Gibson.

Martius 1748.

23. Ad Ordines promoti sunt qui sequuntur:

Ad Presbyteratum { Dnus Hen: Tichbourne: Dnus Fran: Dunn,  
Dnus Joan: Exley: Dnus Jac: Postlewhate.

Ad primam Tonsuram et Subdiaconatum Mgr Joan: Hawarden.

26. In missionem profectus est R. D. Gul: Errington Eodem die discessit e poesi Gul: Rayment.

Aprilis.

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1<sup>o</sup>. Mortuus est Rev: D: Phil: Warham Syntaxeos Professor.

4. Ad collegium accessit Joan: Frankland Rud<sup>us</sup> operam daturus.

13. Parisiis domum reversus est Ex D. Praeses, infirmam admodum valetudine.

15. Juramentum Alumnorum praestitit Mgr Tho: Thompson Theologus.

17. Discessit a Collegio Rad Hodgshon Logicus.

22. Ex Syntaxi discessit Thomas Wadding.

Maius, 1748.

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Junius, 1748.

2. Accessit ad Coll. Fr Dillon rudis operam daturus.

3. Juramentum alumnorum praestiterunt Rob: Bannister, Joan: Chadwick, Joan: Nesfield Philosophi 2di anni; et Jac: Wilson Logicus.

4. In missionem Anglicanam profectus est Rev: Dnus Gul: Walton S. Th: Professor, vir acri ingenio, praestanti pietate, et in omni literarum genere versatus.



10. In missionem similiter profectus est R: D: Car Cordell Rhetoricae Professor.  
Eodem die in missionem profectus est R. D. Henricus Edmundson Musaei Praefectus.  
Hoc mense Philosophiam Rationalem sub R: D: Tho. Worswick propugnarunt qui sequuntur.
12. Manè { Bernardus Baron } Post merid { Anton : Clough  
          { Nicolaus Clavering } { Jac: Wyke
14. In Angliam profectus est Matris invisendae gratiâ Magr Tho: Talbot Theologus.
16. Huc venit ex Angliâ, rud<sup>ms</sup> operam navaturus Thomas Saunderson (verè Giffard)\*
18. Eodem consilio huc a Parentibus missus est Franc: Blondell; vere Christophorus Pippard.  
Hoc mense Theses Theologicas de Virtutibus Theol. De Gratiâ et Constitutione *Unigenitus* sub R: D: Albano Butler, defendebant sequentes.
19. Manè D: Joan: Taprell—A merid D: Joan: Hawarden.
21. Manè D: Pet. Beeston—A merid. D: Jac: Talbot.
22. Manè Dnus Jacobus Postlewhate.

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Julius 1748.

- Die. Sub R. D: Joan: Dunn Philosophiam universam propugnarunt.
- 1.... { Manè Philippus Butler—post merid. Geo: Gibson.  
2.... { Manè Joan Chadwick—post merid. Gul: Foster.  
3.... { Manè Joan Westfield—post merid. Rob: Banister.
2. Ad collegium venit Car. Ashmall,† literis operam daturus.
5. Accessit, cum Avunculo suo D: Green, Georgius Randell, rud<sup>ms</sup> operam navaturus.
- Theologiam Universam sub Rev: D: Alb: Butler, propugnarunt.
- 8.... { Manè et a meridie D: Edw: Helmes.  
9.... { Manè et a meridie D: Jac: King.
1. Parisios missus est R. D. Gul: Daniel Praef: Gen. ut apud Moniales Anglas Immaculatae Concept B. M. V. Confessarii munere fungeretur.
14. Accessit rud<sup>ms</sup> operam daturus Edw: Jerningham.‡
21. Accessit ad Syntaxim Nicolaus Lynch.
28. Ad juramentum Alumnorū praestandū admissus est Jacobus Webb Rhetor.

\* Thomas and John Giffard (both alias Saunderson) who entered the college this year, (Thomas as above and John on 1 October) were the second and third sons of Peter Giffard of Chillington being the sons of his third wife, Helen, dau. of Robert Roberts of Plâs Ucha, co. Flint, Esq. Thomas succeeded to the estates in 1749; married first Barbara, dau. of Robert James Lord Petre, secondly Barbara, dau. of Sir Thomas Throckmorton, Bart. and thirdly Frances dau. of Thomas Stonor of Stonor Esq. He died 1775. John Giffard who inherited his mother's estates, married Elizabeth dau. of Robert Hyde of Narquis, Flintshire.

† George Ashmall.

‡ Third son of Sir George Jerningham of Costessey Park, Norwich, fifth Bart. and Mary dau. of Francis Plowden of Plowden Esq; born in 1737; became a well known man of letters, and died 17 Nov. 1812. See Gillow *Dict.* iii 625.

29. Postridie idem Juramentum praestitit Ant: Clough logicus.  
 29. In Angliam recuperandae valetudinis gratia profectus est Ex: D: Gul. Thornburgh Praeses: et simul cum illo Londinum reversus est D. Green. Hos Dunkercam usq. comitatus est R: D: Tho. Worswick S. Theologiae professor designatus; ubi febri correptus est, ex qua nunquam recte convaluit.

Aug: 1748.

1. Discessit Robertus Strickland Poeta.  
 4. In Vineam Anglicanam missus est operarius R: Dnus Philippus Basset Grammaticae Professor.  
 5. In eandem Vineam operaturus exivit R: D: Gul: Gant.  
 16. In Angliam ad Patrem rediit Georg: Jerningham Grām<sup>ens</sup>  
 21. Discessit Stephanus Warrilow Grammaticus.  
 22. Huc venit rud<sup>ms</sup> operam daturus Matth: Henr: Witham.  
 30. Accessit ad Collegium Franc: Hickins (Manbye).

Septv, 1748.

4. Huc accessit Joannes Langhorne.  
 3. In Angliam profectus est R: D: Hen Tichborne (Blount) convictor.  
 Sept' die 3. [p.286]. Eodem die in missionem profectus R. D: Johanes Exley Theologus 3tii anni.  
 11. Mortuus est R: D: Tho: Worswick Theologiae Professor vir adm doctus et pius, qui Philosophiam per aliquot annos docuerat, et Confessarii munere functus fuerat. Ex eo tempore Dnus Alb: Butler utrique Theologiae Cathedrae praefuit.  
 16. Discessit Petrus Jackson ex 1<sup>a</sup> Classe Rud.  
 18. Accessit ad Collegium D: Michael Tichbourne Convictor.  
 19. Accessit Simon Jacobus Warton (Strickland) rud<sup>ms</sup> operam navaturus.  
 Et eodem die discessit Robertus Birket Poeta.  
 21. Sacris Ordinibus initiati sunt: 

D: Ed: Helmes.
D: Fr. Kennedy.
D: Joan: Taprell.

  
 Diaconi 

D. Joan: Talbot	} Subd. {	M. Jac. Talbot.
D: Arth: Vaughan		

  
 30. Discessit Joannes Manning Grammaticus.

Octv. 1748.

1. Accesserunt Joannes Saunderson (Giffard), et Car: Blount,\* rudimentis operam daturi.  
 2. Accessit Fredericus Gul: Jackson ut rud<sup>ms</sup> similiter operam daret.  
 7. Accesserunt Antonius et Michael Dillon.  
 10. Ad Collegium rediit N. D. Tho: Talbot, Theologiae Studia prosecuturus.

Novr. 1748.

11. Discessit Thomas Heneage e Grammaticâ.  
 15. Discessit Jac: Gough e Syntaxi.

\*Third son of Sir Edward Blount of Sodington, Bart. and Apollonia dau. of Sir John Throckmorton, Bart; born about 1735. After ordination he was professor of philosophy and on returning to England lived with his brother Sir Edward Blount till 1765 and then with his sister-in-law, the widowed Lady Blount at Snitterfield. On her death he went to Warwick where he died 19 Jan., 1810.



*Decr. 1748.*

28. Ad juramentum alumnorum praestandū admissi sunt: Jacobus Wyke Logicus, et Joannes Postlewhate Rhetor.

{ Sequitur Catalogus eorū qui }  
 { hoc anno in Collegio vixerunt. }

*Anno. 1748.*

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*Seniores.*

Exim. D: Gul. Thornburg Praeses.

R. D: Fr. Petre Vicepraeses.

D: Alb Butler Theologiae Professor et Praefectus studiorum.

D: Gul: Walton Theologiae Professor.

D: Th: Worswick Logicae Professor.

D: Joan: Dunn Physicae Professor.

D: Gul Daniel. Praefectus Generalis.

D: Joan Talbot Convictor.

D: Mich: Tichbourne Convictor.

*Professores.*D: Car: Cordell Rhetor<sup>ee</sup>.

D: Gul Wilkin on.

D: Hugo Kendal Rudim.

D: Joan: Lodge Poes.

D: Philippus Basset Gram.

D: Gul: Gant.

D: Hen. Edmundson Musaci Praefectus.

D: Phil. Warham Syntax.

D: Gul. Errington.

D: Hen: Tichborne (Blount) Conv<sup>t</sup>.

D: Th: Metcalfe Musices Professor.

*Theologi.*

D: Jac: King.

D: Pet: Beeston.

D: Edw: Helmes.

D: Jac: Talbot Conv<sup>t</sup>.

D: Fran: Dunn.

D: Rob: Johnson Conv<sup>t</sup>.

D: Fran: Kennedy.

D: Joannes Hawarden.

D: Jac: Postlewhate.

D: Tho. Thompson (Barnaby).

D: Joan: Exley.

D: Fran: Bishop.

D: Arth: Vaughan.

D: Anton: Morin.

D: Joan: Taprell.

*Philosophi 2 anni.*

Robertus Banister.

Joan: Nesfield.

Philippus Butler.

Georgius Gibson.

Joan: Chadwick.

Thomas Talbot.

Gul: Foster.

*Philosophi 1 anni.*

Antonius Clough

Bern: Baron.

Jacobus Wilson

Jacobus Wyke.

Nicolaus Staphylton (Clavering)

Georgius Plumpton.

Rad: Hodgson.

*Rhetores.*

Joan: Postlewhate.

Georgius Heneage.

Hen. Postlewhate.

Jacobus Webb.

*Poetae.*

Gul: Rayment.  
Tho: Mostyn.

Robertus Birket  
Robertus Strickland.

*Syntaxiani*

Thomas Wadding.  
Joan: O Dwyer.  
Fran: Cliffe.  
Joannes Taylor

Thomas Hickins (Manby)  
Jacobus Gough.  
Petrus Brown.  
Nicolaus Lynch.

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*Grammatici.*

Thomas Heneage.  
Nicolaus Butler.  
Joannes Gildon  
Robertus Beaumont.  
Tho: Slaughter.  
Joan: Manning.  
Joan: Jerningham.

Georgius Jerningham  
Joan: Fuller.  
Joannes Bloomer.  
Bartholomaeus Mills.  
Stephanus Warrilow.  
Robertus Lee.

*1<sup>a</sup> Classis Rud..*

Gulielmus Bellew.  
Petrus Jackson.  
Thomas Nevill.

Valentinianus Wilson.  
Brianus Plumpton.

*2da Classis Rud.*

Ricardus Gough.  
Jacobus Mills.  
Joachim Palyart.

Matthaeus Gibson.  
Robertus Warton.

*3tia Classis Rud.*

Joan: Jenison.  
Rob: Smith. } Butler  
Edw. Smith }  
Carolus Towneley.  
Radulphus Towneley  
Carolus Jennett.

Ant. Cavezas.  
Edw: Hawarden.  
Gul: Jerningham.  
Jac: Dormer.  
Alex<sup>s</sup> De Groot.

Noviti.

{ Joan: Frankland.  
Fran: Dillon  
Tho: Saunderson (Giffard).  
Fr: Blondel (Christoph: Pip-  
Car: Ashmall [pard).  
Geo: Randell.  
Edw: Jerningham.  
Matth: Hen: Witham.

Fr: Hickins (Manby).  
Joan: Langhorne.  
Simon Jac. Warton (Strickland)  
Joan: Saunderson (Giffard)  
Carolus Blount.  
Fred: Gul: Jackson.  
Antonius Dillon.  
Michael Dillon.

Sustentati sunt hoc anno 1748 in Collegio 94, praeter famulos, in quorum singulos expensae sunt Monet: Angl. 25lb. 4sh. 10d. Sterl.

*Anno, 1749.*

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*Januarius.*

26. Huc accessit ex Anglia R: D: Joan: Adams\* Convictor missus ab Ill<sup>mo</sup> Dno Ricardo Challoner.

\* Son of John Adams and Margaret Godwin; born in Staffordshire 24 Sept, 1709, ordained priest at Rome 13 Feb. 1735, missionary at Binfield and Welkhurst in Windsor Forest; returned to London where he died 13 Oct., 1757, Kirk, *Biographies*.



*Februarius.*

Praeside Rev: Dno Joanne Dunn Philosophiam Naturalem propugnarunt.

- 14....Manè { Bern. Baron } a merid. { Jacobus Wilton  
                   { Jac: Wyke } { Georgius Palmes.

- 15....Manè Ant Clough Nic Stapylton (Clavering).

*Martius Vacat.*

*Aprilis, 1749.*

- 3 Accessit Joannes Robinson Rud<sup>mis</sup> operam daturus.  
 10. Discesserunt Geo: Plumpton Physicus, Brianus Plumpton Grammaticus et Joan: Bloomer Syntaxianus.  
 29. Ad Syntaxim rediit Jacobus Lolly.

*Maius 1749.*

10. E Collegio dimissus est Nicholaus Butler Syntaxianus.  
 13. Similiter dimissus est Bartholomaeus Mills Syntax. Eodem die ex Regis Angliae commendatione admissus est Convictor Illustrissimus Comes de Dumbarton.\*  
 20. Dimissus etiam est Thomas Slaughter Syntaxianus.  
 23. Accesserunt Rud<sup>mis</sup> operam daturi Carolus Roper et Joannes Roper—verè Stonor.†  
 24. Discessit Nicolaus Lynch Poeta.  
 30. Accessit Gul: Baron (Brinkhurst verè Nieuport)  
 Ad finem hujus mensis in Pentecoste ad ordines promoti sunt sequentes.

Ad Presbyteratum Dnus Arthurus Vaughan.

Ad Diaconatum Dnus Joannes Hawarden.

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Ad 1<sup>st</sup> Tonsuram et 4 Minores M Thomas Talbot.

*Junius.*

- [p. 290]. 9. Discessit Joannes O Dwyer Poeta.  
 11. Discessit Robertus Lee Syntaxianus.  
 13. Accessit Joannes Yate Rud<sup>mis</sup> operam daturus.  
 14. Discessit ut in hoc oppido hospitaretur Geo: Heneage Logicus.  
 18. Discesserunt e Syntaxi Rob: et Edw: Beaumont fratres.  
 Sub Rev: Dno Joanne Lodge Philosophiam Rationalem defenderunt.  
 Manè { Joan Postlewhate } a meridie { Jac: Webb.  
                   { Geo: Heneage } { Hen: Postlewhate.

\* George Douglas, Earl of Dumbarton, is not mentioned in the Peerages. He died at the College of the Scottish Jesuits at Douay, 6 January, 1752.

† Second and third sons of Thomas Stonor, Esq., and Mary, daughter of John Biddulph of Biddulph Esq. St. Gregory's Register gives their brother Thomas Stonor as the eldest son (C. R. S. xix 142) and this diary names Henry a younger brother as the fourth son. Their *alias* of Roper was the maiden name of their paternal grandmother. As Thomas predeceased his father Charles succeeded to the Stonor estates. In 1765 he married Mary Engenia daughter of Michael Blount of Maple Durham. Died 1781. John remained at Douay; was ordained priest there in or before 1760; was then chaplain at Longbirch, where he died 13 May, 1765.

*Julius. 1749.*

In fine Junii et initio Julii Philosophiam universam Praeside Rev: Dno Joanne Dunn, defenderunt qui sequuntur.

- 30 Junii . . . { Manè Bernardus Baron—A meridiē: Jac: Wilson.  
 1 Jul. . . . . { Manè Nicolaus Clavinger aliàs Stapylton.  
 2. . . . . { Manè Jacobus Wyke—A meridiē: Ant: Clough.  
 1. Accessit Rudmis operam daturus Hen: Wittingham (Silvertop) \*  
 2. In missionem profectus est Rev: D: Jac: Postlewhate musaei  
 Praefectus: ut in Villâ Standonianâ in Comitatu Hartfordiensi  
 Scholam regeret.†  
 Accesserunt tres Fratres, Joannes, Franciscus et Philippus Powell,  
 verè Roper‡ ut rudmis operam navarent.  
 Sub R: D: Alb: Butler Theses de Decalogo et Incarnatione  
 sustinuerunt qui sequuntur.  
 10. { Manè: D Geor: Gibson—A meridiē: D: Rob: Banister.  
 11. { Manè: D: Ant: Morin—A Meridiē: D: Joan: Chadwick.  
 12. { Manè D Tho: Talbot—A meridiē: D: Phil: Butler.  
 17. Accessit Edwardus White.§  
 18. Accesserunt [ad Rud] Hen: Powel (Roper), || Joannes Conquest  
 et Thomas Constantin (Hawkins).  
 22. Accesserunt Georgius Cary, Edwardus Cary, ¶ Joannes Rowe et

\* His real name was Silvertop and he was the grandson of Albert Silvertop of Stella, and on his mother's side grandson of Henry Whittingham of Whittingham Hall, Lancashire. Yet his parentage remains uncertain for George and Joseph Silvertop, sons of Albert, married respectively Bridget and Mary daughters of Henry Whittingham, and this child's name is not found in the pedigree, probably owing to his early death, which took place at Douay on 9 Nov., 1750, just over a year from his arrival.

† It was to this school—founded at Standon Lordship in 1749, moved to Hare Street in 1767 and to Old Hall Green in 1769—that Bishop Douglass sent the divines and boys who arrived in London after Douay College had been suppressed during the French Revolution; at Old Hall he founded St. Edmund's College on St. Edmund's day, 16 November, 1793. The northern students went to Crook Hall, Durham, from which arose St. Cuthbert's College, Ushaw.

‡ These boys, with their elder brother Henry who arrived a few days later, were the sons of Henry Roper, tenth Baron Teynham, of Teynham, Kent, and Catherine dau. of John Powell Esq. of Sandford, Oxfordshire. Henry, born 7 May, 1733, married first Wilhelmina, dau. and heiress of Sir Francis Head, Bart. of the Hermitage, Kent and secondly Elizabeth dau. of Joseph Webber Esq. and widow of John Mills Esq., Woodford Bridge, Essex; he succeeded to the barony in 1781 and died 10 Dec., 1786. John, the second son, born 20 June, 1734, married Anne Gabriella dau. of Sir Francis Head aforesaid, and widow of Moses Mendes Esq., of London. He died without issue in 1780. The third son Christopher died still a boy 15 Sept., 1747. Francis, the fourth son, born 25 Jan., 1738, married Mary eldest dau. and heiress of Launcelot Lyttleton Esq., of Lichfield and was the ancestor of the present Lord Teynham. He died 1793. Philip, the youngest son, born 13 Oct., 1739 married Barbara second daughter of the said Launcelot Lyttleton, and died 1 Jan., 1831. Unfortunately the family lapsed from the Faith.

§ Born in Worcestershire about 1731. He was ordained priest in 1759 and became a missionary in London. He died (immediately after his election as a Capitular) 29 April, 1762.

¶ See note above.

|| Eldest and second sons of William Cary and Dorothy Rowe. George succeeded his uncle George Cary at Torr Abbey, Devonshire and married Cecilia Fagnani. He died in 1805. Edward settled at Follaton, Devonshire, and married Camilla Annabella



Carolus Shimel\* rudimentis operam daturi.

Sub eodem Dno Al: Butler Theologiam Universam defenderunt sequentes:

22. . . . | Dnus Jacobus Talbot manè et a meridie.  
 23. . . . | Dnus Petrus Beeston manè et a meridie.  
 30. Ad rudimentis accesserunt Thomas Butler,† Joan Jones.‡

*Augustus.*

[p. 291]. 5. In missionem profecti sunt R. R. D. D. Franciscus Dunn, et Joan Taprell; hic tertio anno, ille 4to.

*September.*

3. Ad Rud: accesserunt Rob: Archbold et Ric Fitzpatrick.  
 4. Ad Rud: a matre sua adductus est Carolus Bond.  
 20. Ad Sacros ordines promoti sunt: Ad Presbyteratum D: Joan Talbot, et Dnus Jac: King—Ad Diacon: D: Pet: Beeston.  
 29. Ad Rud: accessit Franciscus Bellew.§  
 Eodem die 29 juramentum alumnorū praestitit Henricus Postlewhate Logicus.

*Oct. 1749.*

7. In missionem Anglicanam a Praeside, tunc in Anglia existente, vocatus est R: D: Albanus Butler, qui Philosophiam et Theologiam multis annis in hoc Collegio cum laude docuerat. Vir multiplicis eruditionis ac pietatis singularis, quibus non mediocrem sui apud omnes tam domi quàm foris existimationem conciliaverat.

17. Huc accessit Ex. D: Gul: Green, qui rogatu Epōrum Prusensis et Deborensis, et permissu Ducis de Norfolcia, ad Collegium rediit, ut Theologiam doceret ac Praefecti Studiorum munere fungeretur.

Cum eodem Collegium invisit R: D: Joan: Typper Oeconomus Londinensis; ut rationes cum Dno Petre Vicepraeside ac Procuratore iniret; ac paucis post diebus in Angliam reversus est.

Circa idem tempus nos invisit R: D: Fr: Petre de Fithlers|| qui postea R<sup>us</sup> Dni Edu: Dicconson in partibus Angliae Septentrionalibus Coadjutor Electus est.

dau. of Gilbert Fane Fleming Esq. John Rowe who accompanied them was probably their cousin.

\* Son of Charles Shimell and Susanna his wife. Born in Exeter diocese about 1735. He succeeded his uncle Rev. Richard Shimell at Chideock, Dorsetshire, in 1763 but died the following year, 26 May, 1764. Kirk's account of him is inaccurate and misleading. He cites Bishop Milner as authority for the statement that Mr. Shimell wrote a metrical *History of Douay College and its Presidents*.

† Third son of Launcelot Butler of Preston, builder, descended from the Butlers of Rawcliffe Hall, Lanc. and Alice, dau. and heiress of Nicholas Taylor of Great Eccleston, gent; born in 1734. After ordination missionary at Hornby from 1762 till his death 7 Oct., 1795. See C. R. S. iv., 323.

‡ Born in Lancashire about 1733: the date of his ordination is not recorded. He was Chaplain at Kilvington, Yorkshire, from Sept., 1782, to his death 2 July, 1786.

§ Fifth son of Sir Edward Bellew, of Barneath and Eleanor dau. of Michael Moore of Drogheda. He died 22 Nov. 1750.

|| Fidlers, co. Essex (see Brady, *Episcopal Succession*, iii, 260).—E.N.

Eodem die 17 huc ex Anglia venerunt ad Rudimenta, et infra, Joan: Hurst, Gul: Hurst,\* Jac: Willacy,† Jos: Finch.

*Novr. vacat.*

*Decr. 1749.*

5. Huc accessit Henricus Peach,‡ ut rudimis studeret.

Eodem die 5<sup>to</sup> discessit Bern: Baron Theologus, a Patre in Angliam vocatus.

Item eodem die curandae valetudinis graâ in Angliam profectus est R: D: Joannes Talbot Conv<sup>t</sup>.

Ad ordines hoc mense promoti sunt qui sequuntur.

[p. 292].

20 {	{	Ad Tons et 4 Min. Ordnes	Mg <sup>r</sup> Jac: Wilson.
			Mg <sup>r</sup> Ant Clough.
			Mg <sup>r</sup> Jac Wyke.
		Ad Diaconatum	D: Jac: Talbot, Dnus Phil: Butler.
		Dnus Gul: Foster, D: Geo: Gibson, D: Rob:	
		Ad Presbyteratū D: Joannes Hawarden.	[Banister.

*Catalogus anni 1749.*

[A list of Seniors, Professors and some theologians erased].

N.B. the above Catalogue is full of Blunders arising from y<sup>e</sup> difference of dates.

*Jan: 1749 etc.*

*Seniores.*

Ex: D: G: Thornburgh, Praeses.

D. Fr: Petre Vicepraeses et Oeconomus.

D: Alb: Butler Theologiae Professor et Studiorum Praefectus.

D: Joan: Dun Philosophiae Professor.

D: Gul: Wilkinson Praefectus Generalis.

D: Joan Lodge Logicae Professor.

D: Joan: Talbot Convictor.

D: Mich: Tichbourne Convictor.

Ill<sup>mas</sup> D: Comes de Dumbarton Convictor.

Ex. D: Green, post med: 8bris.

*Professores et sacerd: in mense Januario.*

D. H: Kendall Rudimentorū Prof.

D: Franc: Dunn, Sac.

D: Fran: Kennedy Gram.

D: Jac: Postlewhate Praef: Musaei.

\* John and William Hurst were brothers from Lancashire. John born in 1735 for a time conducted the school at Betley which he removed to Sedgley Park on Lady-Day, 1763. Afterwards he was missionary at Thetford, Norfolk, for many years and died at Scarisbrick, Lancashire, in Jan., 1792. William born in March, 1737 taught at Douay and St. Omer's. Finally he became confessor to the Austin nuns at Paris and acted as agent for the English Clergy and for the Douay College. During the French Revolution he was imprisoned in the Abbaye. He returned to the Convent only to die 27 Nov., 1793.

† He was born in Lancashire 1738, and after ordination became headmaster of Old Hall Green Academy, which he conducted for twenty-three years (1769-1791). His last years were spent as chaplain to the Carmelite nuns at Canford House, Wiltshire, where he died 25 Sept., 1805. See *Menology of St. Edmund's College*, (C.T.S., 1909), p. 255.

‡ Born in Gloucestershire, 1732; after ordination he laboured in London where he founded a Charity School. He died at St. Omer's 24 Dec. 1781.



D: Edw: Helmes Syntaxeos.  
 D: Joan: Taprell sac.  
 D: Jac: King Poesios.  
 D: Tho: Metcalfe, Musices.  
 D: Rob. Johnson, Conv<sup>r</sup>  
 D: Joan Adams, Sacerd: Conv<sup>r</sup>

*Theologi.*

D: Arthurus Vaughan.	D: Gul: Foster.
D: Joan: Hawarden.	D: Geo: Gibson.
D: Pet: Beeston.	D: Rob: Banister.
D: Jac: Talbot conv <sup>r</sup>	D: Jo: Nesfield.
D: Fr: Bishop Conv <sup>r</sup>	D: Phil Butler.
D: Ant Morin Con <sup>r</sup>	D: Joan Chadwick.
D: Tho: Tompson.	D: Th: Talbot Conv

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*Philosophi 2di anni.*

Antonius Clough.	Bern Baron.
Jac: Wilson.	Jac: Wyke.
Nic: Stapylton (Clavering)	Geo: Plumpton.

*Logici.*

Joan: Postlewhate.	Jac: Webb.
Hen: Postlewhate.	Tho: Mostyn.
Geo: Heneage.	

*Poetae.*

Joan O Dwyer.	Tho: Higgins (Manby)
Fr: Cliffe.	Pet: Brown.
Joan Taylor.	Nic: Lynch.

*Syntaxi*

Jac Lolly 29 Apr.	Joan: Jerningham.
Nic Butler.	Joan Fuller.
Joan. Gildon.	Joan Bloomer.
Rob: Beaumont.	Barth: Mills.
Edw Beaumont.	Rob: Lee.
Tho: Slaughter.	Ant: Dillon.

*Grammatici.*

Gul: Bellew.	Geo Rendell.
Tho Nevill	Car Ashmall.
Valent <sup>us</sup> Wilson	Edw: Hawarden.
Brian Plumpton.	Mich. Dillon.
Jac: Mills.	Joan Langhorne.
Matth: Gibson.	

*1<sup>a</sup> Classis Rudim.*

Joan: Jenison.	Ric: Gough.
Car: Jennett.	Fr: Dillor.
Joachim Palyart.	Hen: Witham.
Rob: Warton (Strickl <sup>d</sup> )	Gul: Jerningham.

*2da Classis Rud.*

Car. Blount	Ant: Cavezas.
Tho: Saunderson	Edw: Jerningham.
Joan Saunderson	Rob: Smith.
Jac: Dormer.	

} Giffd

*3tia Classis.*

Edw: Smith.	Fr. Hickins (Manby).
Car: Towneley.	Simon Warton (Strickl <sup>d</sup> ).
Rad: Towneley.	Fran: Blondell (C.P.).
Joan: Frankland.	Fred. Jackson.
Alx. de Groot.	

*Novitii.*

Joan Robinson.	Car. Shimel.
Car Roper	Tho: Butler.
Joan Roper } Stonor	Joan: Jones.
Gul Baron (Br. Nieup <sup>4</sup> )	Rob: Archbold.
Joan Yate.	Ric.: Fitzpatrick.
Hen: Wittingham (Silvrt <sup>o</sup> ).	Car: Bond.
Joan	Gul: Witham
Fr. } Powel=(Roper).	Joan: Smith.
Phil	Fr: Bellew.
Hen. } Powel=(Roper).	Joan } Hurst.
Edw: White.	Gul. }
Joan Conquest	Jac Willacy
Th: Constantin (Hawk=)	Jos. Finch (Littleton)
Geo	Hen: Wilkens
Edw. } Cary	Hen: Peach.
Joan Rowe	

N.B. Hoc anno praeter famulos sustentati sunt in Collegio

97. Et impensae sunt in singulos monet: Ang. 23 lb. 9sh. 3d.

[p. 294].

*Anno 1750.*

Mensibus Januario et Febuario nihil notatu dignū contigisse reperio.

*Martius 1750.*

4. In Angliam apud Fratrem suū natu maximum, in Comitatu Eboracensi, aetatis anno 51, sacerdotii 27<sup>o</sup>, post continuas trium annorum, et amplius aegritudines, omnibus Ecclesiae sacramentis ritae munitus, ac sensibus ad extremū vitae spiritum integris, piē obiit Exim: D: Gul: Thornburgh hujus Collegii per annos 11 Praeses dignissimus; vir acris ingenii, ac zelo religionis multum laudabilis.

Eodem die 4<sup>to</sup> Insulas de amicorum consilio profectus est Gulielmus Baron (Nieup<sup>4</sup>); ubi cum ad finem mensis commoratus esset, domum reversus est.

*Aprilis 1750.*

1. Ad Collegium venit rudm̄is operam daturus Joannes Searle, origine quidem Devonienſis; sed Parentum ac totius familiae commigratione Nottinghamienſis.

2. Tertium reversus est Mag<sup>r</sup> Jos: Kelly Hibernus, et hīc per aliquot menses collegii sumptibus sustentatus est.

5. Ad rudimenta accesserunt Gul: Gibson,\* et cum eo cognatus ejus Georgius Gibson junior.

\* The future Bishop of Acanthus and V. A. Northern Dist. 1790-1821; fifth son of Jasper Gibson of Stonecroft, Durham, gent., and Margaret, dau of Nicholas Leadbitter of Nether Wendon. He was sixteenth President of Douay College 1781-1790 (See *Gillow Dict.* iii, 147 and Brady, *Episcopal Succession*, iii, 267, 268)



28. Ad rudimentorū 1<sup>a</sup> Classē venit Edmundus Winstanley.\*  
 29. Parisios profectus R: D: Petre Vicepraeses, collegiū negotiis illo vocatus.

*Maius 1750.*

Sub initium hujus mensis sacrum solemne Votivum de Sto Carolo Borromaeo celebratum est, in gratiarū actionem pro depulsione morborum, quibus hoc Collegiū diu laboraverat

19. Franciscus Dillon jussu Patris Insulas profectus est, exinde Parisios, nomine Syntaxianus, merito rudimentarius.

*Junius 1750.*

13. Thesim de Actibus humanis et Peccatis, pro priore ad Baccalaureatum responsione, in aulā publica hujus Universitatis propugnavit D: Jac. Talbot.

[p. 295]. Theses Theologicas de Deo Uno et Trino, Praeside Rev: Dno Joanne Dun, propugnarunt.

19. { D. Rob. Banister manē—D: Joan Chadwick a merid.

20. { D. Thos Talbot, manē—D. Jac: Wilson, a meridie.

22. { D: Anton: Clough, manē—D: Phil: Butler, a meridie.

*Julius 1750.*

Philosophiam Universam sub R: Dno Joanne Lodge defenderunt qui sequuntur.

6. . . . { Manē Joan: Postlewhate—A merid Hen. Postlewhate.

7. . . . { Manē Jacobus Webb.

13. Discessit ex Mandato Matris Tho Mostyn Philosophus.

16. E. Collegio in Oppidum migravit, Dnus Tho: Metcalfe Musices Professor, ut in domo privata hospitaretur, ac Medicinae Studio vacaret.

17. Hortatu Matris in Angliam reversus est D. Franciscus Bishop, post aliquot annos in Theologiae studio consumptos.

19. Ad collegium a Patre adductus est Gerardus Strickland† Puer Novennis ut in habitu saeculari sub privato tutore Literas disceret.

26. Nova Sti Petri Ecclesia Duaci Sollenniter benedicta est, cum religiosa Omnium Ordinum Processione sacro sollenni etc cui caeremoniae Collegii nostri nomine interfuit Ex Dnus Gul: Green.

Eodem die literas Romā accepit Dnus Vicepraeses, quibus significabatur, decreto Sacrae Congregationis Generalis de propagandā Fide, habitae 7<sup>mo</sup> Julii anno 1750, Gul: Green sacerdotem saecularem hujus Collegii Praesidem constitutum esse. Tenor autem literarum quas ipsemet paulo post a. s. Congregatione accessit est hujusmodi.

Decretum Sac Cong<sup>nis</sup> Gālis de Propag<sup>a</sup> Fide habitae die 7 Julii 1750.

Referente R.P.D. Nicolao Lercario Secret<sup>io</sup>, Em<sup>am</sup> Patres Praesidem Collegii Duacensis Anglorum in locum sacerdotis Guillelmi Thornborough

\* Born in Lancashire about 1736, one of the Winstanleys of Pemberton, Wigan. After ordination he was professor of philosophy 1761-63. Afterwards he became chaplain to the Duke of Norfolk at Worksop, Capltular 1771 and finally chaplain to the Blounts of Maple Durham where he died, 18 Dec., 1783.

† Eldest son of Gerard Strickland, and Mary Bagnal; born 4 October, 1741. He married Cecilia widow of his kinsman Charles Strickland of Sizergh, and died 23 Oct. 1795.

piè defuncti D. Guillelmum Green Sacerdotem saecularem ad Beneficium Sacrae Congregationis [p. 296] deputarunt, cum omnibus oneribus, honoribus emolumentis et privilegiis, quibus ejusmodi Collegii Praesides gaudere consueverunt. Datum Romae ex Aedibus ejusdem Sacrae Congregationis Die et Anno quibus supra.

Et erat subscriptum.

*Valenti Praefus et infra.*

*Nicolaus Lercarius Secretus*

Et signatum sigillo Sacrae Congregationis.

Hac occasione Praeses, ex amicorum consilio, plures diversis temporibus literas scribendas duxit: Ad Regem N<sup>r</sup>u Jacobum, ad sacram Congregao<sup>e</sup> de propag: F., Ad Cardinalem Angliae Protectorem Ad Cardinalem Ducem Eboracensem, et ad Nuncium Apostolicum Bruxellensem, cui mandata fuerat inquisitio in Candidatos. Quod ne quis frustra hic scriptu patet, sciat me tarditate Scribendi epistolas, a quibus tanquam minus necessariis abhorrebat animus, incidisse in periculum aliquos ex supradictis offendendi.

17. Circa hoc tempus D: Vicepraeses Parisiis reversus est.

17. Thesim alteram de sacramentis in Genere, et de Baptismo, pro posteriore sua ad Baccalaureatum responsione, in Aula publica Universitatis propugnabit D: Jac: Talbot.

27. In Angliam profectus est curandae Valetudinis causa D: Dunn Theologiae Professor; et cum eo D: Gul: Wilkinson Praef: Gen: ut Patrem inviseret.

*Augustus, 1750.*

5. Praemisso duplici examine et orationibus de more in schola Publica pronunciatis, Sacrae Theologiae Baccalaureus creatus est Dnus Jacobus Talbot.

8. Ill<sup>mus</sup> Comes de Dumbarton hinc ad Jesuitas Scoticos transmigravit.

11. In Angliam missus est R: D: Arthurus Vaughan, ut Dnum Jac: Postlewhate in schola Standonianâ docenda adjuvaret.

Cum eo in Angliam reversus est R. D. Joannes Adams, qui apud nos per annu cum dimidio commoratus est; huc missus ab Ill<sup>o</sup> Deborensi Epo, ut ad munera pastoralia se prepararet.

21. Apud nos hospitatum venit Perillustis Dnus Crivelli, nepos Archiepiscopi Caesariensis tunc temporis Nuncii Apostolici Bruxellensis. [p. 297]. 22. Discessit Ipros ad Avunculum suu R. D. Dnu Joan Gough, nepos ejus Ricardus Gough Grammaticus.

23. Ad Syntaxim reversus est Edwardus Beaumont.

Eodem die ad Rud: accesserunt Joannes Lund, Ant: Lund,\*

\* Sons of John Lund and Anne Benson, born at Bartell in Woodplumpton, Lancs., John in 1733, Anthony in 1735. Both were ordained priests, John in Dec. 1759, his brother at the same time or soon after. John was chaplain at Swinburne Castle, Northumberland, then at Lartington Hall, Yorkshire, and finally missionary at Cottam from 1769 where he died 28 Juné, 1812 after 53 years ministry there. Anthony became professor of philosophy and afterwards of theology at Douay, then Missioner at Fernyhalgh, Lancs., where he died 20 Sept., 1811.



Joannes Lonsdale,\* Ricardus Bilsborow Gulielmus Blacow, et Jacobus Mawdsley (Carter).†

26. A Patre suo ad Collegium adducti sunt Valentianus et Franciscus Tunstall;‡ et cum eis Thomas Mitchell.

*Septbr. 1750.*

9. Discessit Robertus Archbold ex 1 Classe Rud.

Eodem die jussu Matris Hoium prope Leodium profectus est Car: Bond ut amitam inviseret, sub tutelâ R: Dni Helmes: et inde ad Collegium reversus est die 4to Octobris.

18. Ex Anglia reversus est Dnus Wilkinson, Praef. Gen. Et cum eo Studiorum causâ accessit Petrus Jenkins.

29. Ad juramentum alumnorū praestandum admissi sunt Jacobus Lolly Dialecticus, et Joannes Fuller jam Rhaeticam ingressurus.

*Octbr. 1750.*

2. Feriâ sextâ, praemisso sacro sollenni ad postulandam gratiam Spiritûs Sancti, Scholae cum usitatis solemnitatibus apertae sunt.

Eodem die Collegium reliquit ut alibi hospitaretur Praenobilis Dnus Crivelli, Nuncii Bruxellensis Nepos.

7. Discessit tertium Magr Josephus Kelly Hibernus.

12. Rothomagum profectus est R: D: Fran: Kennedy, Synt Prof: ut apud Moniales Anglas Confessarii munere fungeretur.

Eodem die ad Rhetoricam accessit Ludovicus Albertus Wallez || Clericus, Londini quidem natus, sed parentibus Belgicis.

29. diem supremum, oibus ecclesiae sacramentis praemunitus pie clausit puer nobilis Joannes Conquest.

30. Mortuus etiam est Franciscus filius natu minor Dni Michaelis Tunstall.

*Novr. 1750.*

Sub initium hujus mensis celebrata est Missa Solemnis Votiva de Sto Carolo Borromaeo, ad implorandam Dei misericordiam et auxilium super eos qui in hoc Collegio tunc aegrotabant, qui sanè multi fuerunt, ex quibus nonnulli periculose ex ulceribus in gutture laborabant.

[p. 298]. Nov. 7. Accepit Praeses ex Anglia literas ab Episcopo Mallensi in partibus Angliae Septentrionalibus Vicario Apostolico quibus significabat Statutum sibi esse in Anglia apud suū districtum detinere Dominū Dunn Theologiae pro anno corrente Professorem designatum: (cujus reditum Praeses ad hoc usq. tempus sibi duxerat

\* Son of Richard Lonsdale and Mary Thornburgh; born in Lancashire 1736. After ordination was missionary at York where Bishop Walton lived with him. Capitular in 1781. He moved to Linton-on-Ouse and finally to Dodding Green, Westmoreland, where he died 8 Oct., 1802.

† James Carter *als* Mawdsley was son of Richard Carter and Elizabeth Mawdsley. Born in Lancashire 1736, ordained 1762, missionary at Newhouse, Lancs., 1762-1814. Died there 4 Feb. 1814. See Memoir C. R. S. xv, 320.

‡ Sons of Michael Tunstall and Anne his wife. Both boys died within three months, Francis on Oct. 30, Marmaduke (latinized as *Valentinianus*) on Nov. 16.

|| Louis Albert Waller (the name is printed Waller in the First Douay Diary, p. 70; and Walleth in C. R. S. xii 151) was the son of Belgian parents living in London. He was born in the autumn of 1735. He became chaplain at Nash Court, Kent; was afterwards in London and died at Hales Place on 1 Jan., 1812.

expectandum) ut desperatam, quemadmodum dicebat, valetudinem curaret.

Per duos autem menses poene continuos cum eodem Ill<sup>mo</sup> Presule tam per se quàm per amicos vehementer egerat Praeses, ut periculi, quod ex ejus reditu timebatur, suspicionem minuerat; nè scilicet Collegium nostrum viri tam prostantis et hoc tempore tam necessari praesidio orbaretur. Sed frustra. Vicit enim Ill<sup>mi</sup> Presulis preconcepta opinio, quâ sibi persuadebat redditum Dni Dunn ipsi non periculosum modo, sed etiam exitiosum futurum.

Praeses igitur, qui ad hunc usq. diem, utramque Theologiae lectionem, Studiorum praefecturam et Confessarii munus simul sustinuerat: idque difficillimis temporibus, cum Scholarium numero abundaret Collegium, Confessariorum autem ac Superiorum paucitate laboraret, atq. insuper duobus simul periculosus et contagiosis morbis affligeretur: tantis incommodis simul irruentibus oppressus, necessitati cadere coactus est. Ut autem aliquâ se parte oneris levaret, ac reliquis muneris sui partibus vacare posset.

8. Postridie Rev: Dnum Joannem Lodge, qui 2dū Philosophiae cursum jam inchoaverat; et Rev: Dnum Jacobum King qui paucis ante annis sub Dno Alb: Butler Theologiam universam summo omnium applausu defenderat, Theologiae Professores constituit. Ut vero eos ad hoc munus suscipiendum induceret, consensit Praeses, ut Studiorum Praefecturam aliquanto diutius retineret Theologiam moralem anno corrente doceret, ac thesibus Universae Theologiae anno proxime sequente propugnandis praesideret.

Eodem autem die in locum Dni Lodge Philosophiae Professoris suffectus est D: Jacobus Talbot sacrae Theol. Baccalaureus. In locum Dni King Rhetoricae Professoris, D. Hugo Kendall veteranus omnium humaniorum litterarum Professor: et in locum Dni Kendall Grammaticae Professoris assumptus est ex Theologiae Scholâ Mag<sup>r</sup> Joan: Postlewhate qui Julio proximè elapso philosophiam universam defenderat.

[p. 299]. 9. Discesserunt Carolus Jennett Syntaxianus, et Ant: Cavezas Grammaticus.

Eodem die mortuus est Henricus Silvertop, hic Wittingham puer verè pius et magnae spei.

16. Ex eodem morbo gutturali mortuus est Valentinianus (seu Marmaduke) Tunstal, cujus frater paulo ante Octobris 30<sup>o</sup> obierat: sic factum est; ut miserundus Pater duos filios sibi charissimos, quos ipse duobus antè mensibus ad Collegium adduxerat cum magno nostro dolore ac suo luctu amiserit.

20. Novum nobis luctum attulit Joannes Gildon bonae indolis praestantis ingenii juvenis, qui similiter gutturi et intestinorum ulceribus extinctus est.

22. Sextus intra paucas hebdomadas, postquam ex variolarum morbo convalescerat, exulcerato gutturi interiit Franciscus Bellew, pius admodum puer, et Matris luctum morte sua multum aucturus. Nam paulo antè frater ejus natu maximus Joannes, Eques et Baronettus, qui literarum humaniorum cursum hic feliciter confecerat, et suos



omnes pietate ac morum suavitate in maximam sui spem erexerat in Hibernia subito Variolarum morbo correptus et extinctus est.

Antequam huc usq. progressum est malum jam antè domum aliquam sive hospitium quaesieramus quò scholares omnes ad tempus mitteremus, partim contagionis vitandae gratiâ, partim ut Multorum timoribus mederetur Verùm id frustra fuit. Numerosiores enim erant, quam ut idoneum illis hospitium inveniri usquam potuerit. Itaq. solos juniores qui contagioni maximè obnoxii videbantur, transtulimus ad Villam La Croix; qui illic per dies circiter decem sub Dno vel Praeside vel Vicepraeside et aliquibus aut professoribus aut quasiprofessoribus studia de more prosequebantur.

Interim decrescere morbus, et plures qui mitiùs laborabant convalescere—Nè qua tamen animorū offensio nasceretur Studiosi omnes per vices ad Eandem Villam emissi sunt atq. ita factum est, ut non nisi pridie Vigiliae Nativitatis Dni omnes domum reversi sint.

22. Joannes et frater ejus Edwardus Jerningham Cameracum a Parentibus vocati sunt; ubi permanserunt ad med: Januarii.

*Decr.*

[p. 300] 17. Cameracum sub tutela Dni King profecti sunt Gulielmus Jerningham, qui jam ex duplici Variolarum et ulcerati gutturis morbo convalescerat; et Gulielmus Bellew, qui ibidem a Fratre Patricio\* aliquamdiu jussus est hospitari.

16. Ad Villam La Croix, et postridie Valenciâ profectus est Dnus Praeses cum 12 Ordinandis, Sabbato autem seqnti in Capellâ Collegii Archiepiscopalis ad Villam Beuvrages a R<sup>mo</sup> Dno Epō Osseriensi† Hiberno sacris ordinibus initiati sunt qui sequuntur.

19. Presbyteri—D: Jac: Talbot. D: Phil: Butler. Dnus Gul: Foster.  
       Dnus Geo: Gibson, Dnus Rob: Banister.  
       Diaconi—Dnus Tho: Thompson. D: Joan: Nesfield; et Dnus Joannes Chadwick.  
       Subdiaconi Mgr<sup>i</sup> Jac: Wilson. Antonius Clough Jacobus Wyke. Thomas Talbot.

21. Dunkircam Valetudinis gratiâ missus est ad Aviam suam Franciscus Blondel: sub tutela Dni: Jac: Wyke.

*Catalogus eorum qui a Jan: 1750 et deinceps in hoc Coll: vixerunt.*

N.B. *Officia et scholae describantur ut fuerunt ante Kalendas Octobris.*

*Seniores.*

Ex: D: G: Thornburgh Praeses.

D. Fr. Petre Vicepraeses et Oeconomus.

Ex. D. G. Green Theologiae Professor Studiorum praefectus.

D. Joan Dunn S. Theologiae Professor.

D: Gul Wilkinson Praefectus Generalis.

D: Joan Lodge Professor Philosophiae solus.

D: Jac: Talbot Convictor.

D: Mich Tichbourne Convictor.

Comes de Dunbarton Convictor.

\* Sir Patrick Bellew had succeeded to the baronetcy on the death of his brother Sir John on 2 November of this year.

† The Right Rev. James Dunne, Bishop of Ossory 1749-1753.

*Professores et Sacerd.*

D. Hugo Kendal Prof. Rud.  
 D. Joan Adams Presb. Conv.<sup>r</sup>.  
 D: Fr: Kennedy Synt.  
 D: Edw: Helmes Poes.  
 D: Jac: King Rhetoricae.  
 D: Arth Vaughan Praef: Musæi.  
 D: Joan: Hawarden.  
 D: Pet Beeston, Gram.  
 D: Rob: Johnson Rud 2<sup>das</sup>  
 D: Tho Metcalfe musices.  
 D: Fr: Bishop Conv<sup>r</sup>

*Theologi.*

D: Phil Butler.	D: Anton Morin.
D: Gul. Foster.	D: Tho. Talbot.
D: Geo: Gibson.	D: Jac Wilton.
D: Rob: Banister.	D: Ant Clough.
D: Tho Tompson.	D: Jac: Wyke.
D: Joan Chadwick	D: Nic: Stapylton Conv
D: Joan Nesfield.	D: Jos: Kelly 3 <sup>tiū</sup> .

*Philos 2di an.*

[p. 301]. Jac: Webb.	Hen: Postlewhate.
Joan: Postlewhate	Tho: Mostyn.

*Rhetores.*

Fr: Cliffe.	Pet: Brown.
Joan: Taylor.	Jac: Lolly.
Tho: Hickins.	

*Poetae.*

Joan: Gildon.	Gul: Bellew.
Joan: Jerningham.	Tho: Nevill.
Joan: Fuller.	Lud: Alb <sup>tus</sup> Wallez.
Ant: Dillon.	

*Syntarixiani*

Valentin <sup>us</sup> Wilson.	Edw Hawarden.
Jac: Mills.	Mich Dillon.
Matth. Gibson.	Joan Langhorne.
Geo. Randell.	Fr: Dillon.
Car Ashmall.	Edw: Beaumont.

*Grammat:*

Joan Jenison.	Hen: Powel.
Car Jennet.	Joan: Powel.
Joachim Palyart.	Tho Constantin.
Rob: Warton.	Char. Shimel.
Ric: Gough.	Gul. Jerningham.
Hen: Witham.	Pet Jenkins.
Joan. Yate.	

*1<sup>a</sup> Class Rud.*

Car: Blount.	Alex. de Groot.
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Tho: Saunderson.	Ric. Fitzpatrick.
Joan Saunderson.	Joan Roper.
Jac Dormer.	Car. Roper.
Ant: Cavazes.	Hen Wilkens.
Edw. Jerningham.	Fran. Bellew.
Rob: Smith.	Rob. Archbold.

*2da Class. Rud.*

Simon Warton.	Joan Frankland.
Car. Towneley.	Fred Jackson.
Joan Smith.	Joan Conquest.
Joan. Robinson.	Fran. Hickins.
Gul. Witham.	Edw: Smith.

*3tia Class Rud.*

Edw: White.	Edw: Cary.
Gul: Baron.	Geo: Cary.
Hen: Wittingham.	Tho Butler.
Fran Blondel.	Joan. Rowe.
Joan. Jones.	

*4ta etc.*

Rad: Towneley	Jac. Willacy.
Car Bond.	Fran Powel.
Hen. Peach.	Phil Powel.
Joan Hurst.	Jos: Finch.
Gul. Hurst.	

Novitii.	Joan Searle.	Ant: Lund.
	Gul Gibson	Joan Londsedale.
	Geo Gibson junr	Ric Bilsborow.
	Edm. Windstanley.	Gul. Blacow.
	Jerrard Strickland.	Tho Mitchell
	Fran: Prujean.	Valentinianus Tunstall
	Jac: Mawdsley.	Fran: Tunstall
	Joan: Lund.	

Praeter famulos hoc anno sustentati sunt III, et expensae in singulos monetae Angl:—

lb. sh. d.

19 : 9 : 3½

Anno 1750.

[p. 302]. N.B. Hic annus 1750 Collegio nostro sanè luctuosus fuit. Nam inter Calamitates, quae hoc anno contigerunt numerari debet:

I. Imprimis Mors Exim. Dni Gulielmi Thornburgh Praesidis dignissimi.

II. 2do continuæ totis hibernis ac vernis mensibus ægritudines quibus multi diu languebant, aliquæ etiam periculose decumbebant.

III. 3tio Negotiorum nostrorum apud Regni Cancellarium ad quem sollicitandum Dnus Vicepraeses per duos et amplius menses Parisiis commoratus est, parum prospera tractatio.

IV. 4to. Rev<sup>dt</sup> Dni Dunn, unici post Praesidem Theologiae Professoris

incommoda Valetudo, et ad Missionem Anglicanam contra voluntatem Praesidis destinatio.

V. 5to Sacerdotum, Confessariorum, ac Superiorum tanta paucitas, ut necessariis Collegii negotiis obeundis vix sufficerent.

VI. 6to sex scholarium, maxima ex parte nobilium, interitus: qui omnes inusitato morbo ulceris seu canceris in gutture, intra paucas hebdomadas cum magno nostro et parentum dolore extincti sunt.

VII. 7mo Magnus aliorum circa idem tempus eodem morbo laborantium numerus. Unde factum est ut per duos fere menses binos quotidie Medicos binis ad minimum vicibus, et ut plurimum cum Chirurgo, nos invisere necesse fuerit.

VIII. 8vo. Aliis preterea duobus morbis contagiosis, et ut plurimum periculosis, Rubiolarum, scilicet et Variolarum a medio mensis Augusti; ad medium Januarii consequentis vix unquam vacui fuimus. Ut omittam Dni Michaelis Tichbourne epileptim, quo non minimam tam ipsi quam nobis etiamnum molestiam parit—Sed summas Deo Gratias agere debemus, quod ex hisce postremis morbis nullus plane interierit.

Addi potest etiam\* alia hujus anni calamitas eaq. fortasse praecipua de qua mihi nunc tacendum censeo. Quanquam auguror fore, ut de illa alii non taceant.

Deus virtutū convertere: respice de coelo, et vide et visita Vineam istam et perforce eam quam plantavit Dextera Tua. Amen. Ps: 79.

Anno 1751.

[p. 303].

*Catalogus pro mense Januario.*

*Seniores.*

Ex. D: G: Green Praeses et Praefectus Studiorum.

D: F: Petre Vicepraeses et Oeconomus.

D: Joan Lodge S: Theologiae Professor.

D: Jac: King S: Theologiae Professor.

D: Gul: Wilkinson Praefectus Generalis.

D: Jac: Talbot Logicae Professor.

M: Mich Tichbourne Convictor.

*Professores et Sacerd.*

D. Hugo Kendall Rhet: Prof.

D: Edw: Helmes Poeseos Prof Sacr.

D: Joan Hawarden Praef: Mus.

P.	{	D: Phil: Butler	} 3 an.	....Praef Vest.
		D: Gul: Foster		....Praef. Val.
		D: Geo: Gibson		....Praef Cul.
		D: Rob: Banister		
		D: Pet: Beeston Syntaxios Diac.		
		R: Rob: Johnson Rud Prof 1. Subd.		
		M. Ant Morin Rud: prof. 2darius.		
		M. Joan Postlewhate Prof. Gram.		

\* [Added in another hand.] Auguror Ex: Dnum Praesidem intelligere, prae sua humilitate, suam ad Praesidis munus assumptionem, qua summa benedictione Collegium inter magnas calamitates, a Deo cumlatum omnes judicarunt.



*Theologi.*

{ D: Tho Thompson Praef. Bib. 4 (medif) \*  
 { D: Joan Chadwick 3. P.  
 { D: Joan: Nesfield 3. P.  
 { D: Tho: Talbot 3. Convictor.  
 { D: Jac: Wilson, 2.P.  
 { D: Ant: Clough 2.P.  
 { D: Jac: Wyke 2.P.  
 M. Nic: Stapylton, 2. Conv<sup>r</sup>  
 M. Jacobus Webb, 1. P.  
 M. Hen: Postlewhate, 1.

*Philosophi 1. anni.*

Fr: Cliffe (Pen) Dorm: F-d Pet. Brown.  
 Joan Taylor (Yate) Oath 5 Jan. Jac: Lolly. P.  
 Tho: Hickins=Manbye.

*Rhetores.*

Joan: Jerningham. Gul: Bellew.  
 Joan Fuller. P. Lud: Albertus Wallez (pen)  
 Ant. Dillon. Gul: Rayment.

*Poetae.*

Valentinianus Wilson. Edw: Hawarden.  
 Jac: Mills—(Hills). Mich. Dillon.  
 Matth: Gibson (Midf)=jam Rhet Joan Langhorne  
 Geo Randall (Lady How<sup>d</sup>) Edw: Beaumont.  
 Car Ashmall (Salv).

*Syntax.*

Joan Jenison. Joan Yate.  
 Joachim Palyart. Tho. Constantin=Hawkins.

\* The letters and contracted names appended to some of the names in this list indicate the scholarships held by them or the source from which their pensions were derived.

P= Pontifical pension.

Medif: or Midf= Midford Fund, a seven years scholarship vested in trustees.

Dorm= Dormer Fund, nomination by the President.

Yate= Yate Fund, nomination by V.A. London District, Dean of the Chapter and the President.

Hills= Hills Fund, nomination by Mrs. Mary Hills, Mrs Catherine Hills and Mr. John Sheppard and their assigns.

Lady How<sup>d</sup>= Lady Arabella Howard's Fund, nomination by the President.

Salv= Salvin's Fund, nomination by the heirs and assigns of Gerard Salvin and Thomas Maine of Lartington, Esq.

Th. F= Thimbleby's Fund, nomination by the President and Founder's relations.  
 Montg= Lord Montague's Fund. Full maintenance for three scholars, vested in Lord Montague of Cowdray.

Muscot= Muscot Fund } nomination usually by the President, at this time by  
 Leyb. F<sup>d</sup>= Leyburn Fund } Bishop Petre.

Thornb= Thornburgh Fund.

Bp. Chal= Bishop Challoner was responsible for this pension.

Gerard F= Gerard Fund.

B. Leyb= Bishop Leyburne's Fund.

Sir J. Yate et Revs= Sir John Yates Fund and Revell's Fund.

Mr. Philps }  
 Mr. J. T. } Not hitherto identified.

Rob: Warton=Strickland.	Car: Shimel.
Hen: Powel=	Gul: Jerningham.
Joan Powel= } Roper.	Pet. Jenkins.

*Grammatici.*

[p. 304]. Car: Blount.	Alx <sup>r</sup> De Groot.
Tho: Saunderson	Ric Fitzpatrick.
Joan: Saunderson } Giffard)	Car: Roper
Jac Dormer.	Joan Roper { Stonor.
Edw. Jerningham.	Hen: Wickens.
Rob: Smith=Butler.	Edmun: Winstandley.

*1<sup>a</sup> Classis Rud.*

Fran: Frujean.	Fran Hickins=Manby.
Simon Warton=Strickland	Edw: Smith=Butler.
Car Towneley.	Edw: White (Th <sup>r</sup> F.).
Joan. Smith (pen. part).	Hen. Peach (Mr. J. T.).
Joan Robinson.	Joan Searle (Pen).
Gul Witham—(½ Th. F.).	Tho: Mitchel (Leyb. Fd).
Joan Frankland (Montg)	John Lonsdale (Thornb).
Fred Jackson.	Ric: Billsborow (Bp. Chal.)

*2<sup>a</sup> Classis Rud.*

Gul: Baron=Brinkhurst Nieupt	Edw: Cary.
Tho. Butler.	Jac: Mawdsley (Haydocke)
Fr. Blondel=Xtoph: Pippard.	Joan Lund (60 <sup>lb</sup> pen).
Joan Jones (Gerard. F.).	Ant. Lund (60 <sup>lb</sup> pen).
Joan: Rowe.	Gul: Blacow.
geo: Cary.	

*3<sup>ia</sup> Classis etc.*

Gul Hurst (one of B. Leyb).	Geo Gibson, jun <sup>r</sup>
John Hurst, (Muscot).	Jos. Finch (pen).
Jac Willacy (B. Chall).	Jarradus Strickland.
Gul. Gibson (S <sup>r</sup> I. Yate et Re <sup>va</sup> )	Jac: Brinckhurst (Mr. Philps).
Car: Bond.	Phil: Compton.
Rad: Towneley.	

*Januarius.*

1751.

5. Ad Collegium accessit Jac: Brinkhurst, ut in Fide Catholica et bonis literis instrueretur.

20. Ad collegium, literis operam daturus accessit Phil Compton.\*  
[p. 305]. 12. [12 *repeated*] Convivium Stae Coeciliae in hunc diem dilatatum est propter superiorum mensium aegritudines et scholarium absentiam.

14. Cameraco domum redierunt Joannes, Guelmus et Edw Jerningham.

15. Hodie prima post Ferias Septembris in Aulâ Theologorum habita est Oratio, cum Librorū atq. Imaginum distributione. Dilata autem est in hunc diem tum propter impedimenta supradicta tum propter magistrorum mutationē: de quâ supra.

\* Son of Philip Compton and Catherine Strobe; born 1734 in the neighbourhood of Wells. He was stationed at Chideock for twenty-five years, then at Calverleigh and finally at Dunster, Somerset, where he died in July, 1803



23. Sacrum sollemne votivū celebratum est in gratiarum actionem propter morbos depulsos. et ad implorandū Dei auxilium ad eosdem in posterum depellendos.

*Februarius.*

N.B. Mense Julio anni 1749 Rex Galliae novam edidit Declarationem, quae Disciplinae regulas complectitur 351 articulis comprehensas ab Universitate Duacenā in posterum observandas. Haec Declaratio die 12 Januarii sequentis in tabulas publicas supremæ Curiae Gallo-Belgico relata est, ac die 16 ejusdem mensis publicata.

Cum autem singulis Universitatis hujus Facultatibus aliquæ ex praescriptis regulis observatu per quam difficiles, quodam etiam universitati vel parū commodæ vel perniciosæ viderentur, Supplicem libellum Regi offerendum censuerunt, quo Xtianissimam Suam Majestatem humiliter supplicabant, ut articulos quosdam dignaretur vel immutare, vel benignè saltem interpretari. Hinc Declaratio supradicta, nondum executioni mandata, sed brevi tempore, ut fertur, mandanda est.

Porro in hac Declaratione plura sunt, quo Collegium nostrū indirectè saltem, spectare possunt. Unus vero articulus, numero 182, tam nostro Collegio, quàm Vedastino et Aquicinctino plane perniciosus videtur. Illi enim, si articulus iste explicetur ad literam, privantur jure praelegendi Theologiam exteris, nos non exteris modo sed etiam nostris.

Cum igitur in Supplice Libello Regi ab Universitate oblato nihil aliud circa hunc Articulum contineatur nisi haec Quaestio: *utrum mens Regis Xtnissi fuerit prohibere nē Domni Vedastini Jesuitæ et Angli Theologiam docerent*: visum est Praesidi de Amicorum consilio, litteras Parisios ad sap Dnū Holden mittere Curiae offerendas; ut supradictū articulum in nostram gratiam interpretetur.

[p. 306]. 15. E Collegio discessit in Angliam profecturus puer praenobilis Henricus Roper, Syntaxianus; Filius natu maximus Illust<sup>mi</sup> Dni Baronis de Teynham Ejus in itinere Dux et Tutor fuit Rev<sup>us</sup> Dnus Taprell, hujus Collegii sacerdos et alumnus.

18. Dunkirkam rediit ad aviam suam puer nobilis Christophorus Pippard (hic Fran: Blondell), infirmā admodum valetudine ut illic se ad reditum in Angliam praepareret.

16. Mortuus est Wattenii prope Audomaropolim Dnus Th: Metcalfe insignis hujus Collegii Benefactor.

*Martius.*

{ Extractum ex Registro Universitatis }  
{ Duacena pertinet ad annum 1721. }

Du 30 Juin 1721.

L'an 1721 Le 30 Juin en consequence de La Resolution prise Le 27 du present mois De Juin par messieurs Les proviseurs De La Dot De L'université De Cette ville De Douaij, Lesdit Srs proviseurs S'étant Rendus et assemblés au College publique De La faculté De Theologie A Ce Evoquer—Les Srs Docteurs et professeurs De La ditte faculté par.—P: J: pollet Sergeant A Verge Desd: Sieurs Echevins De Cette D: Ville Telsque m<sup>r</sup> J Adrien Delcourt Jean Michel Amand et Jacques de Marcq et en presence De m<sup>r</sup> Claude Hustin Conseiller Du Roi Lieutenant

General De La gouvernance De Douaij Et. Orchies, et Commissaire Denommé pour Les Concours par Edit Du Roi Du 30. Avril 1681. Ont procedé De nouveau A L'ouverture Du Concours De La Cinquieme chaire Roijal De La ditte faculté De Theologie vacante par La mort De m<sup>r</sup> Laverdure pour Les Causes et Raisons Declarés par leur Sentence Du 25 Du Courant.

Et A L'instant Se sont presentés pour Concurans De La Cinquieme chaire Roijal m<sup>r</sup> Lievin pharazin Licentié En Theologie Chanoine De L'Eglise Collegiale De St. amé Et Richard Charloner Licentié En Theologie Anglois Et ne s'étant presentés D'autres personnes pour led. Concours M<sup>r</sup> Le Docteur Delcourt Apresent Vice recteur a Representé a M<sup>rs</sup> Les proviseurs que suivant Quelques resolutions Du conseil De [p. 307] Cette Université Les anglois Comme membres Du College Des Anglois en cette ville Doivent etre Declarés inadmissible Dans Les Concours De Cette Université protestant De nullité De Tout ce qu'il pouroit Se faire au prejudice De Lad. Resolution Dud. Conseil De Lad. université et S'est Retiré De L' assembleé avec Led. Sr. Docteur Demarcq L'affaire mise en Deliberation M<sup>rs</sup> Les proviseurs De Lad. Dot assistés Dud: Sr. . . . . Commissaire sans avoir Egard aux Reputations et protestations Desd. Srs Docteurs Delcourt et Demarcq ont admis aud. Concours Led. S<sup>r</sup> Chaloner Anglois, ainsi qu'il a eté fait par Les Concours —Anterieurs et Suivant Ce ont Resolus De faire Convoquer Lesd. Srs Docteurs Delcourt et Demarcq pour La prochaine Assemblée qui Sera Demain premier de Juillet Dix-heures Et Demie Du matin Au College publique De La faculté De Theologie pour proceder a La Distribution Des matieres pour Lesd. Concurans Declarant qu'au Cas qu'ils ne Se Trouvent pas Dans La Ditte assemblee De Demain Dix-heures Et Demie Du matin Leur absence sera prise pour un Refus De vouloir Demeurer Juges De La Capacité Des Concurans, et Suivant Ce il sera par nous procedé au choix D'autres personnes Capables De sera par nous procedé au choix D'autres personnes Capables De faire Ces fonctions De Juges en Leurs places et procedé avec Eux A La Distribution Des Matieres aux Concurans et a Cet effet notre presente Ordonance Leur sera Signifiée par tout Le Jour.

Ainsi fait et ordonné Dans L'assembleé Desd. Srs proviseurs Tenu Au College publique De La faculté De Theologie Les Jours, mois, an et pardevant que Dessus present Le Soatre Greffier De Lad. Dot Etoit Signé J. B. Delesaulx.

Collationné et Concorde a L'original.

par Lefbvre.

vice Secretaire par ordonnance.

Autre Copie.

Lille Le 6 7<sup>bre</sup> 1721.

Messieurs.—

[p. 308]. Je Recois une Lettre De M<sup>r</sup> Le marquis De L'aurillier Secretaire D'etat au Sujet Du Refus que vous avez fait a plusieurs professeurs Du College anglois De Douaij De Les admettre a La Dispute De La Chaire Du Cathechisme qui Est apresent En concours, il me fait L'honneur De me marquer De vous Donner avis que L'intention De



S. A. R. Est que Le Concours pour La chaire vacante Du Cathechisme soit faite Dans L'usage Ordinaire et qu'en Consequence vous ij admettie ainsi qu'il C'est Toujours pratiqué Les Sujets qui se presenteront Du College Des anglois. Je vous prie De vous Conformer aux intention De S. A. R:

Je suis Tres parfaitement

Messieurs

Votre Tres humble

Et Tres Obeissant Serviteur

Signé Meliant.

Collationne et Concorde a L'original par Lefebvre,  
vice Secretaire par ordñce.

Copie D'une Lettre Ecrite par M<sup>r</sup> Daguessau A M<sup>r</sup> Meliant.

A paris Le 22 7<sup>bre</sup> 1721.

Monsieur.

Jaij Recu La Lettre que vous m'avez ecrite Le 8 de Ce mois avec votre avis et Les memoires que vous y avés joints Au sujet De La Recusation Des juges Du Concours Des chaires vacantes Dans L'université De Douaij et De La question De Scavoir Si Les pretres Du College Des Anglois De La meme Ville peuvent ij Etre admis Ou non, J'entre Entierement Dans votre Sentiment et Dans Les Raisons sur Lesquelles il est fondé [p. 309] ainsi vous n'aves qu'a faire scavoir a Ceux qui se plaignent De La Conduite Des proviseurs De La Dot De L'université de Douaij que je nai Rien Trouvé a ij reformer, et que j approuve Ce que les proviseurs ont faits par raport au concours De La chaire Du Cathechisme qui Est vacante Dans cette universite. Je suis etc. Signé Daguessau.

Collationné Et Concorde

A L'original

par Lefebvre

Vice Secretaire

par ordñce.

N.B. hoc Extractū Registri et exemplaria literarū inserenda fuerant Mensibus Junio et Septembri anni 1721. Sed quia illic ommissa sunt, hic jam inseruntur ad futuram rei memoriam.

Anno 1751.

Martius.

11. Londiri mortuus est Illustrissimus Dnus Mathias Comes de Staffordia,\* anno aetatis 32. cui sine liberis defuncto Ill<sup>mus</sup> Dnus Paulus Stafford in honorem et hereditatem succedit.

10. Parisios ad Sap: Dnū Holden Seminarii Anglicani Praesidem Extractū ex Registro Universitatis, ea continens quae annis 1702, 1707, contigerunt in Concursibus Exim: Dni Edward Hawarden et R. Dni Cuthberti Perkinson missum est a Praeside; et paulo post aliud Extractū

\* William Mathias Stafford-Howard, third Earl Stafford, son of William, second Earl and Anne dau. of George Holman Esq. He married Henrietta dau. of Richard Cantillon Esq., but died without issue 20 Feb. 1751. He was succeeded by his uncle John Paul Stafford Howard who married Elizabeth Ewen and died 2 April, 1762.

ex eodem Registro ad R: Dñi Joannem Wilkinson de rebus in iisdem concursibus gestis tractans Exemplaria habentur supra in hoc Hemerologio ad mensem Julii anno 1721.

22. Ad eundem Dñi Wilkinson missum est Parisios Extractum hic positum ejusdem Registri, ea continens quae in Concursu Eruditissimi Dni Ricardi Challoner anno 1721 contigerunt. His quippe ostensis speramus fore ut jus nostrum Theologiam docendi, gradus suscipiendi, et de Vacantibus in Universitate cathedris certandi contra quosdam articulos in novis regulis contentos facilius tueamur.

[p. 310]. 31. Mortuus est Londini in Anglia Fredericus Dictus Walliae Princeps, filius natus maximus Georgii II.

*Aprilis.*

10. Ad Collegiū juramentum praestandum admissi sunt Franciscus Cliffe, Et Edwardus Hawarden Lancastrienses, item Edwardus Beaumont Derbiensis.

17. Ad collegiū accessit primis rudimentis operam daturus Franciscus Stanfield Bon: Sim: pen.\*

25. A matre ad Collegium adductus est, ut fide et literis imbueretur Gulielmus Acton, alias Johnson, verè Glover.

*May.*

8. Ad collegium venerunt Georgius Beeston,† et Thomas Whittingham‡ rudimentis operam daturi.

17. E Syntaxi discessit Robertus Warton (Strickland).

19. Ad Collegium tertium venit Nobilis Dnus Franciscus Bishop, ut inter Professores Convictor esset.

21. Ad collegium literis operam daturi accesserunt Quatuor Juvenes Lancastrienses, Joannes Penketh,§ Robertus Wilkinson, Thomas Pope, Josephus Seyers;|| ab Episcopis Londinensibus¶ missi.

Theses Theologicas De Fidei controversiis et de Sacramentis in genere Sub. R: D: Joanne Lodge propugnarunt.

\* Possibly this contracted expression "Bon: Sim: pen." has reference to this student's pension. In a later list it appears as "Pen F. Bon." It may be that Father Boniface Simpson O.S.F. was responsible for the payment.

† Son of Peter Beeston of Irnham, Lincs., and Jane Pennythorne his wife; born March 1737. After ordination taught for a time at St. Omers after the Jesuits had been driven out. Then he became Chaplain to Sir Thomas Clifford at Tixall, Staffs., where he died 15 Aug., 1797.

‡ Son of Thomas Whittingham and Frances Tonks, born at Cadsall near Wolverhampton in 1738; he left Douay for St. Gregory's Paris in 1758, was ordained 1763 and made D.D. in 1768. He was chaplain to the Earl of Shrewsbury at Heythrop for many years; elected a Capitulat in 1770. In 1782 he was appointed Superior of St. Gregory's, but died before taking office 16 Feb., 1783.

§ Born in Lancashire 1731 but educated for the London District. He was chaplain at Hammersmith Convent and subsequently removed to Ealing. He died 17 Nov. 1813.

|| Born in Lancashire 1738. After ordination he was spiritual director at Sedgley Park School about 1769. He then became chaplain to Bishop Challoner and lived with him till the Bishop died in 1781 and was a legatee under his will. After the Bishop's death he became chaplain to Dr. Challoner's great friend Mr. John Briant Barrett of Milton House, near Abingdon, Berkshire. He afterwards lived at Mrs. Barrett's house near Isleworth and Twickenham and died there 26 June, 1807.

¶ Bishops Petre and Challoner.



21. Die mane R: D: Geo: Gibson. . . . a merid: D: Ant. Clough  
 22. Die mane D: Jac: Wilson. . . . a merid: R: D: Phil. Butler  
 28. Vide infra—

*Written at foot of the page.*

Maii 28 Philosophiam Ra[tion]alem sub R: D Jac. Talbot S. Th  
 Baccalaureo propugnarunt.

A mer.	Franc: Cliffe	Mane	Jacobus Lolly.
	Petrus Brown		Joannes Taylor.

*Junius.*

- 2 Ad.Collegium Rudimentis operam daturus venit Joannes Prujean.

*Julius.*

[p. 311]. Theses Theologicas de Sacramentis in specie Sub R. Dno Jac  
 King propugnarunt.

12. | D: Th: Tompson mane:—D: Joan Chadwick a meridie.  
 13. | D: Th: Talbot mane:—R. D. Rob. Banister a merid.  
 17. Ad Collegiū accessit Gul: Tyrer Rudimentarius.  
 22. Ad collegiū redierunt Franciscus et Philipus Roper hñc Power,  
 literarū Studia prosecuturi.  
 26. D. Praeses iter Lovanium versus ingressus est ac paulo post ind  
 in Angliam profectus negotiorum causa; ad Collegiū die 15 Septembri  
 reversus est.  
 31 Ad Collegiū a Matre deductus est Edwardus Townley† rudiment  
 ingressurus.

*Augustus.*

12. Ad nos e Collegio soc: Jesu Audomaropoli jussu Parentū accessi  
 Rudimentis operam daturus Petrus Witham de Woodhall.  
 12. Eodē die in Angliā reversus est Carolus Ashmall Rhetor: simu  
 cum Dño Nic: Clavering 2di anni Theologo qui suasu Matris Londin  
 valetudinis gratiā profectus est.  
 20. Neoporto ad Collegiū Rudis operam daturus accessit Gulielmu  
 Blevin.‡  
 31. Illustrissimus Dnus Jacobus Baro de Aston§ In Villā Tixhū  
 comitatūs Staffordiensis variolarum morbo extinctus est; cum magn  
 omnium catholicorum luctu.

*September.*

13. Septrīs Natus est Burgundiae Dux Regis Galliarū nepos.  
 5. Accessit Georgius Apedaile|| Rudmis operam daturus.

\* The *alias* was previously given as Powell.

† Third son of William Towneley of Towneley Esq., and Cecilia dau. of Ralph Standish of Standish, Esq. He succeeded his brother Ralph in the Standish estate assuming the surname and arms of Standish. He married Anne dau. of Basil Thomas Eccleston of Eccleston Esq. On his eldest brother's death in 1807 he succeeded to the Towneley estates, and died without issue 28 March, 1807.

‡ Son of Richard Blevin and Jane Amerstone. Born in London, 1735. He was missionary in London where he died 12 Jan., 1788.

§ James fifth and last Baron Aston of Forfar, b. 1725, married Lady Barbara Talbot dau. of George Earl of Shrewsbury. Died 31 August, 1751, at Tixall, Staffs.

|| Born in Durham Bishopric 1738; soon after ordination he became chaplain to the Poor Clares at Dunkirk till 1793 when during the French Revolution he was imprisoned at Arras and afterwards at Dourlens. When liberated, he accompanied the nuns to Church Hill near Worcester in 1796 and died there 26 Feb. 1799.

14. Ad Rudmā accesserunt Joannes et Benedictus Hinde.\*  
 15. Domum rediit D: Praeses: et cum eo duo pueri Londinenses  
 Gulielmus Warrilow, et Jacobus Nichols† rudmis operam daturi.  
 [p. 312]. 25. Ad Rudimenta accessit Joannes Knapp.‡

*October.*

1. Annus scholasticus cum usitatis sollemnitatibus inchoatus est.  
 Erunt autem tunc in Collegio sequentes

- Seniores.*
- Exim: Dnus Praeses G: Green.
  - R: D: Vicepraeses Fr: Petre, Procurator et Confessarius.
  - D: Joan Lodge Studiorum Praefectus et Theologiae Professor  
 Confessarius.
  - D: Jac: King Theologiae Professor.
  - D: Gul: Wilkinson Praefectus Musaei Concionator et Confessarius.
  - D: Jac: Talbot Philosophiae Professor et Confessarius.
  - D: Edw Helmes Logicae Professor.
  - D: Georgius Gibson Praefectus Generalis.
  - D: Robertus Johnson Subdiac: Convictor.
  - Mag<sup>r</sup> Michael Tichbourne Convictor.
  - Mag<sup>r</sup> Joannes Belson Convictor Expectatur.

*Professores.*

- sacer-*  
*dotes*
- D: Hugo Kendall Rhetoricae.
  - D: Petrus Beeston Poesios.
  - D: Joannes Hawarden Synt.
  - D: Th: Tompson Gramm Diac.
  - Mag<sup>r</sup> Ant Morin Rud 1<sup>us</sup>
  - D: Joan: Nesfield Diac Rud 2<sup>us</sup>
  - (D: Phil: Butler.
  - (D: Gul Foster—Valetud.
  - (D: Rob: Bannister Sacristiae.
  - Mag<sup>r</sup> Fr. Bishop Convictor.

*Theologi.*

- D: Joan: Chadwick Dormit P. 4.
- D: Th: Talbot Conv<sup>r</sup>. . . . .4.
- D: Jac: Wilson [Culinae P.] . . . . .3.
- D: Ant Clough Vestiar. P[raef]. . . .3.
- D: Nic Stapylton vere  
 Clavering Conv<sup>r</sup> | . . . .3.

\* From the Pensions Book (Westminster Archives) it appears that John Hinde was on Bloomer's Fund till 1 August 1752 when he was recalled to England by his father. Benedict was on the Bloomer Fund till 5 Aug. 1759 when he left through ill-health having completed his philosophy. Their parentage is not recorded but may they not have been the sons of John Hinde (son of Benedict Hinde of Worlaby) and his wife Agatha Walker of Rasin?

† James Nicolas, not Nichols as in the Diary, was the son of James Nicolas and Elizabeth Spellman. He became professor first of philosophy then of theology at Douay, went on the mission in London about 1773, was chosen a Canon of the Chapter in 1775 and died 2 May, 1777.

‡ Son of Richard Knapp and Elizabeth King; born in Winchester diocese, 1739. He did not become a priest; returned to England and died at Langston near Havant 16 Aug. 1816.



D: Jac: Wyke Culinae (Praef) . . . . 3.

Mgr Jacobus Webb. . . . . 2.

Mgr Joan Postlewaite . . . . . 1.

Mag<sup>r</sup> Hen: Postlewaite  
Biblioth praef | . . . . 2.

*Philosophi.*

Franc: Cliffe. Thomas Hickens (Manbye).

Petrus Brown Joannes Taylor.

Jacobus Lolly.

*Logici.*

Matt. Gibson (midf).\* Joan: Jerningham.

Gul. Rayment. Joannes Fuller.

Lud. Wallez, Cler (pen). Anton: Dillon.

*Rhetores.*

[p. 313]. Marmad. Wilson (pen). Michael Dillon.

Jac: Mills (Hills). Joan: Langhorne.

Geo: Randall (Lady H<sup>d</sup>) Edw: Beaumont.

Edw: Hawarden.

*Poetae.*

Joan: Jenison. Joan: Yate.

Joan: Powel. Tho: Constantine=Hawkins.

Gul: Jerningham. Car: Shimell.

Joachim Palyart. Petrus Jenkins.

*Syntaxiani.*

Car: Blount. Alex: de Groot.

Th: Saunderson | Giffard. Edm Winstanley.

Joan: Saunderson | Edw Jerningham.

Ric: Fitzpatrick. Hen: Wilckens.

Jac: Dormer. Rob: Smith=Butler.

Car: Roper | Stonor. Hen: Peach (Jac T<sup>t</sup>).†

Joan Roper

*Grammatici.*

Fr: Prujean Edw. Smith.

Sim Wharton (Temp<sup>t</sup>). Gul: Witham (Ann F).

Ric: Bilsborough (B. Ch<sup>a</sup>). Edw. White Th<sup>r</sup> F.

Ric: Launsdale (Thornb). Joan Searle B<sup>th</sup> F.

\* The contractions refer to scholarships as before (p. 272). In addition to those already noted we have here:—

Temp<sup>t</sup>=Tempest Fund.

Lan<sup>r</sup>=Lancaster Fund, formerly administered by Rev. Thomas Lancaster but at this time by Rev. Simon Bordley.

Ann F=Mrs. Ann of Frickley's fund.

B<sup>th</sup>=This fund has not been identified.

B. Wh.=Bishop Petre *alias* White.

T. T<sup>r</sup>=Triple Trust.

Haydoke=Probably "Rev. Cuthbert Haydock's Gift," though our information as to this dates only from 1757.

W<sup>d</sup> Giff=Widow Giffard's Fund, founded by Mrs. Mary Giffard.

Ly Wb=Lady Webb's Fund.

Mrs. Lane=not identified.

† Probably=James Talbot.—E.N.

Joan. Smith ( $\frac{1}{2}$ pen).	Fred Jackson.
Car. Towneley.	Tho Mitchell (Leyb. An F.).
Fr. Hickins=Manbye.	Joan Frankland (L <sup>d</sup> M.).
Joan Robinson (Lau <sup>r</sup> ).	

1<sup>a</sup> Class Rud.

Gul: Blacow (60lb.).	Joan Lund (60 lb.).
Joan: Jones (Gerr <sup>d</sup> F.).	Gul Gibson (Yat et Rev).
Jac: Willacy (B. Ch <sup>a</sup> ).	John Rowe.
Geo Cary.	Tho Butler.
Edw Cary.	Joan Prujean.
Joan Penketh (B. Wh).	Gul: Baron=(Nieup <sup>r</sup> ) L <sup>d</sup> M.
Gul Hurst (Bp. L).	Gul: Acton.
Joan Hurst (Muscot).	Jac: Brinkhurst.
Ant Lund (60 lb.).	

## 2. Class Rud.

Pet. Witham (Woodhall).	Th: Wittingham (100 lb.).
Rad. Towneley.	Geo Beeston (T. T <sup>i</sup> ).
Geo: Gibson.	Jac. Maudsley (Haydoke).
Car. Bond.	

## 3 Cl. etc.

Rob. Wilkinson (B. Ch <sup>r</sup> ).	Edw. Towneley.
Jos Finch (pens)=Littleton.	Jac Nichols ( $\frac{1}{2}$ B. Ch <sup>r</sup> ).
Fr. Stanfield (pen F. Bon).	Jarr <sup>d</sup> Strickland.
Th. Pope (Bp Ch <sup>r</sup> )	Joan. Knapp.
Nic Syer (B. Ch <sup>r</sup> ).	Phil Compton.
Gul. Warilow (B. Ch <sup>r</sup> ).	Geo Apedaile (Mr. Hankin).
Phil Joan Hinde (W <sup>d</sup> Giff)	Ter Powel
Ben Hinde (L <sup>r</sup> Wb).	Phil Powel
Gul. Tyrer (M <sup>rs</sup> Lane).	Ric. Gibson.
Gul: Blevin (J <sup>ns</sup> F <sup>t</sup> ).	

Summa 127, praeter famulos.

1751, 8br.

[p. 314]. 3. Ad Collegium venit Ric Gibson\* Rud. operam daturus.  
 13. Discessit Henricus Wilckens Syntaxianus a Matre Ulissiponem vocatus.

14. E Seminario Parisiensi ad Collegium accessit Theologiae Studia prosecuturus Mr. Carolus Corn† Cestriensis, Clericus.

30. Nob: Dnus Joannes Belson hospitandi gratiâ ad Collegium accessit.

Circa hoc tempus Rev. adm D. D. Franciscus Petre de Belasyse‡ Fithlers Londini consecratus est Epus pro partibus Angliae Septentrionalibus.

\* Sixth son of Jasper Gibson of Stonecroft, Durham and Margaret dau. of Nicholas Leadbitter; born about Feb. 1739; after ordination assistant at Standon Lordship, then chaplain to Sir Walter Blount at Mawdley where he died 13 Sept., 1801.

† Son of John Corn and Elizabeth Butler. Born at West Chester in 1716, had fought in the '45 rising, became a Catholic in Ireland, and studied at St. Gregory's, Paris. After ordination he was Prefect General 1756-1761, then he became confessor to the Blue Nuns at Paris, dying 9 Nov. 1777. See memoir C. R. S. VIII, 341.

‡ So written for Bellhouse, Fithlers being inserted above (see W. Maziere Brady, *Episcopal Succession*, iii, 260).



*November.*

5. Discesserunt, Insulis hospitaturi Antonius Dillon, Logicus, et Frater ejus Michael Dillon Rhetor.

3. Parisios concessit, jussu Matris, Joachim Palyart Poeta.

11. Dunkircam, jussu parentum profectus est Joannes Jenison Poeta.

22. Ad Collegium ex Anglia rediit D: Nicolaus Clavering (hic Stapylton) theologiae studia privatim prosecuturus.

Circa idem tempus in Angliam rediit D. Belson, negotiorum causâ unde brevi tempore ad Collegiū rediturus putatur.

*Decembris.*

3. In Angliam profectus est Puer nobilis Hibernus Robertus Smith= Butler Syntaxianus.

13. Londinum a Matre vocatus hinc discessit P. N. Gul. Nieuport, hic Brinkhurst et Baron Rudimentarius.

30 Per paucos dies tumultus in Collegio excitatus est a dyscolis quibusdam Scholaribus, qui eo usq. progressus est., ut ad seditionem inclinare videretur sed paucorum poenâ brevi tempore sedatus est. Occasio fuit, quòd Praeses immoderata convivia reprimere voluit.

N.B. Sustentae sunt hoc anno, famulis non computatis, personae 114, et expensae in singulos Librae monetae Angl.

l. s. d.

20 : 17 : 9½

Anno 1752.

*Januarius.*

[p. 315]. Die.

6. In Collegio Jesuitarum Scotorum Duaci mortuus est Ill<sup>mus</sup> Dnus Georgius Dugglas Comes de Dunbarton.

7. E Collegio discessit Gulielmus Jerningham Cameracum a Patre suo vocatus.

21. Dnus Praeses Neoportum se recepit, ut apud Carthusianos Anglos per aliquod tempus exercitiis spiritualibus vacaret.

*Februarius.*

10. Domum reversus est Dnus Praeses.

12. Philosophiam Naturalem, Praeside Rev: D: Jacobo Talbot defenderunt sequentes.

Mane	Stephanus Lolly	a meridie	Franciscus Cliffe.
	Petrus Brown		Joannes Taylor.

Circa idem tempus Româ accepit Dnus Praeses Facultatem a summo Pontifice sibi concessam dispensandi cum Alumnis ad Decennium super irregularitate per eos ob quancumque Hoeresim contractâ.

21. Rev<sup>ndus</sup> adm Dnus Joannes Hornyold ab Ill<sup>mo</sup> et Rev<sup>mo</sup> Joanne Stonor in Villâ Stonor Comitatus Oxoniensis, consecratus est Episcopus Philomeliensis pro districtu Angliae mediano.

25. Amplissimus Dnus de Bonneguise, Archiepi Cameracensis Vicarius Generalis, et nuper a Celsissimo Principe Henrico Cardinale Duce Eboracensi pro Abbatiâ suâ Aquiscinctinâ Vicarius electus Dnum Praesidem cum Dno Priore Benedictorū Anglorū, Patre Rectore Jesuitarum Scotorū, et Patre Guardiano Recollectorū Anglorū invitavit,

ut interessent, dum dicti Cardinalis nomine ejusdem Abbatiae possessionem solemniter caperet.

*Martius.*

Circa medium Hujus mensis Parisiis mortuus est Illustriss<sup>mus</sup> ac Rev<sup>mus</sup> Dnus Franciscus de Baglion de la Salle Episcopus Attrebatensis Praesul qui summum Religionis ac Disciplinae ecclesiasticae zelum tantâ mansuetudine et Xtianae pacis amore temperavit [p. 316] ut omnium sibi animos devinciret; Anglorum praesertim, quos a Patriâ ob religionem extorres, affectu verè paterno fovit, et quibus rebus potuit semper adjuvit.

Circa Festum Annunciationis B. M. V. Joannes Jerningham Logicus ad Parentes suos Cameracum curandae Valetudinis gratiâ concessit.

*Aprilis.*

8. Rev Dnus Oswaldus Lancaster Confessarius Clarissarum Dunkercae nos invisit.

9. Iterum ad Monasterium Aquiscinctinum cum iisdem qui supra invitatus est Dnus Praeses a Nobilissimo Dno [blank] O'Brian Barone de Talloughe, quem supradictus Cardinalis Abbas administratorem suum in colligendis Abbatiae suae redditibus constituerat.

13. Eminentissimus ac Rev<sup>mus</sup> Dnus Archiepus Mechliniensis Monialibus Anglis Lovanii degentibus per Archipresbyterum suum significavit accepisse se Româ Licentiam, avocandi a missione Dnum Edoardum Bartlet ad triennium; quò earum Confessarius esset: simulq. jussit Dnum Praesidem, ut supradictû Dnû Bartlet ad se quam primum mittendum curaret. Quod negotium Dnus Praeses Illmo Dno Hornyold statim commendavit, rogavitque ut ea res quoad fieri posset cum minimâ animorum offensione transigeretur.

Circa medium hujus mensis ad Cathedram Attrebatensem a Rege Galliarum nominatus est Ampliss<sup>mus</sup> Dnus de Bonneguise,\* Archiepiscopi Cameracensis Vic: Gen: de quo supra. Ad quem etiam eâ de re literas gratulatorias misit Praeses.

17. Nobilis Dnus Joannes Wolfe filium suum Gulielmum natu maximum ad Collegium adduxit; literis operam daturum; et cum eo Henricum Stonor,† quartum filium nobilis Dni Thomae Stonor: qui hac occasione Cameraco Duacum cum Uxore et Fratre suo Joanne nos invisendi causa venit. Paucis post diebus omnes Cameracum profecti sunt: unde die 25 ejusdem mensis Dnus Wolfe et Dnus Joannes Stonor per nos in Angliam redierunt.

19. Duas epistolas accepit Praeses a Ducissâ de Norfolciâ, quibus significavit se de negotiis nostris Coutichianis cum Illust<sup>mo</sup> Duce de Mirepoix ita tractasse, ut eum induxisse se crederet ad causam nram apud Galliae Regem tuendam et promovendam Statim igitur Perisios scripsimus ad Dnos Holden et Wilkinson ut supradictum Ducem [p. 317] adirent; et cum eo res nostras quàm diligentissime tractarent.

\* Mgr Jean de Bonneguise, Bishop of Arras 1752-1766.

† Fourth son of Thomas Stonor of Stonor Esq., and Mary dau. of John Biddulph of Biddulph Esq. He settled at San Lucar in Spain and married Elizabeth dau. of Norris Gardiner Browne Esq., of Hinstock. Died at San Lucar 21 March, 1792, leaving two sons Henry and Charles.



20. Dunkercam rediit Dnus Lancaster; et cum eo a Collegio discessit juvenis Nobilis Franciscus Manbye (hfc Hickens) Philosophus 2di anni in Angliam a Patre vocatus.

27. Accessit ad Collegium Franciscus Mills Londinensis, tredecim annos natus, rudimentis operam navaturus.

*Maius.*

4. Mortuus est Ricardus Bilsborow Lancastriensis, Grammaticus, quindecim annos natus magnae spei adolescens.

5. In comitatu Lancastriensi diem obiit Ill<sup>mus</sup> ac Rev<sup>mus</sup> Dnus Edoardus Dicconson, Epus Mallensis in Partibus Angliae Septentrionalibus Vic: Aplicus: qui olim in hoc Collegio primum Procuratoris, ac deinde Vicepraesidis munere functus est: et tam Philosophiam quam Theologiam ibidem docuerat.

9. In Missionem Anglicanam discessit R: Dnus Philippus Butler Lancastriensis, hujus Collegii alumnus et Sacerdos, 4to Theologiae anno fermè expleto—Et cum eo in Angliam rediit Gulielmus Witham de Stockton in Epātu Dunelmensi, Grammaticus.

14. Parisiis Duacum filiū suum adduxit Dnus Heron, sive Hearn\* sumptibus Doctoris Holdeni hfc literis operam daturum, donec Philosophiae et Theologiae adipiscendae se idoneum reddat.

15. Ad civitatem Ipreensem hinc abiit Nob. Dnus Joan: Belson, ut cum Rev<sup>do</sup> adm Patre Jump Carthusianorum Anglorum Priore Locum novo Monasterio construendo idoneum deligeret Ac paulo post domum rediit.

1. Eodem die in Angliam discessit Nob: Dnus Franciscus Bishop de Brailles; habens in comitatū Rev<sup>d</sup> Dnū Thomam Ball, qui huc ex Angliā paucis antè diebus nos invisendi gratiā venerat.

Item eodem mane Logicam sub. R: Dno Edw: Helmes defenderunt Matthaeus Gibson, Ludovicus Wallezius.

[p. 318]. 16. Puer Nob: Thomas Hawkins (hfc Constantine) jussu Patris ad Civitatem Audomarensem concessit; sub tutelā Magistri Corn Theologi, ut Matrem aliosq. consanguineos et amicos inviseret unde paucis post diebus domum rediit.

21. Literis operam daturus ad Collegium accessit Tho: Greenwell a Patre deductus: cum quo etiam accessit studiorum causa Robertus Wilson.

31. Ad juramentū Alumnorū Pontificiorū admissus est Matt Gibson, Logicus.

*Junius.*

3. Ad collegium Parisiis venit, a Dno Holden seminarii praeside missus Joannes Breme.†

5. 2do in Angliam discessit Gul: Rayment Logicus.

21. Ex Angliā ad Collegiū adductus est Gulielmus Dillon a Nobili Dno Kennedy.

\* Son of John Heron of London, born in 1740. He proved epileptic and was sent back to England (See C.R.S. xix 142, 143).

† Son of John Breme of London, born 1742. He was placed on the Maurice fund but being unsatisfactory was sent home the following year. (C.R.S. xix, 142, 143).

20. Discessit in Angliam, ut rebus suis prospiceret, Gul: Acton rudimentarius, cum animo revertendi. Vere Gul: Glover.

*Julius.*

3. Theses Theologicas de Act: humanis, peccatis, legibus et grâa nec non de Virtutibus Theologicis sub R: Dno Jacobo King propugnarunt

| Mane Mag<sup>r</sup> Clough [Antonius] Subdiaconus.

| A Meridie Mgr Jacobus Wilson Subdiac.

4, 5. Philosophiam universam cum laude defenderunt 1. Joannes Cliffe, 2 Jacobus Lolly. 3 Petrus Brown 4 Jacobus Taylor: sub. Rev: Dno Jacobo Talbot: qui Thesim suam Duci de Norfolciâ dedicaverat Cuius Ducis nomine Praenobilis Dnus Georgius Jerningham Eques et Baronet- tus interfuit: quem etiam urbanitatis causâ comitatus est Praenobilis Dnus Tho: Stonor.

5. Hodie in Tabulas Publicas supremæ Curiae Gallo-Belgicae relata est Regia Interpretatio Edicti mense Julio an: 1749 emanati de disciplinâ servandâ in Universitate Duacenâ. [p. 319] Porro supra notavimus ad mensem Feb: anni 1751; per hujus Edicti art: 182, ereptum esse jus Theologiam sive publicè sive privatim docendi, praeter quam Professoribus Regiis, et Religiosorum intra domesticas scholas Magistris. Cum autem articulus supradictus non nobis modo, sed etiam aliquâ ex parte Professoribus Collegii Vedastii et Aquiscinctini; onerosus esset quantum potuimus Regi supplicavimus, ut istum articulum benignè in nostram gratiam interpretaretur.

Regis autem interpretatio hujusmodi est.

"Expressè prohibemus omnibus personis cujuscumq. dignitatis et conditionis, praeterquam Professoribus Regiis, et iis qui ad hoc munus praeficiuntur in Collegiis Academicis ejusdem Universitatis (quorum juribus sibi concessis nolumus derogare aut prohibere nè eorum Scholae censeantur Academicæ. . . .) nè Theologiam sive publicè sive aliter, doceant et praelegant, . . . sub poenâ," etc.

Ex hac articuli 182 interpretatione inferre licet nullum jam nobis, nisi Collegium nostrum Academicum sit, jus esse Theologiam docendi.

Quaeritur ergo quibus rationibus demonstrari possit Collegium nostrum Academicum censendum esse?

Respondeo, id probari: 1<sup>o</sup> quia Nostri ad gradus in hac universitate suscipiendos, post confecta in hoc Collegio philosophiae et Theologiae studia, nemine unquam contra dicente, admissi fuerunt. Imo catalogum benè magnum exhibere possumus nostrorum qui Licentiae et Doctoratûs gradibus in hac Universitate insigniti sunt.

2<sup>do</sup> Quia quotiescumq. vacantibus in Universitate Cathedris Regiis Nostri pro illis ad concursum (ut vocant) se obtulerunt, admissi semper fuerunt. Et cum aliquam super hac re difficultatem, annis abhinc circiter triginta movere cuperent ii, qui Molinistarum partibus plus aequo studebant: tamen jus nostrum concurrendi et Cancellarii et Regii Commissarii litteris nobis confirmatû est. Vide quae [p. 320] hac de re gesta narrantur in hoc Diario ad annû 1721, et extractum ex Registro Universitatis, cujus exemplar habetur supra ad mensem Feb: anni 1751.

3<sup>tio</sup>, quia Nostri Collegii Doctores, Regii Professores nonnunquam fuerunt, ut Alanus et Stapletonus Theologiae; Hydaeus Historiae.



Imo Alanus Primus hujus Collegii praeses fuit unus ex primis Magistris qui fundatâ primûm Universitate Theologiam docuere.

Addi potest, quod cûm lis esset orta nos inter et Universitatem de immunitate ab onere matriculandi, causâ cecidimus propterea quod suppositi (ut vocant) seu subditi Universitatis censebamur—Et ob similem causam, dùm ego ipse hic litteras docui, cûm vellet Dnus Rob. Witham tunc Praeses prohibere magistros nostros, nè simul cum aliis Collegiis Academicis juramentum fidei praestarent, initio Januarii praestari solitû compulsi sunt postea Magnifico Dno Rectore ut id praestarent, propterea quod essent, ut aiebat, *suppositi Universitatis*—. Ut omittam quod Exim: Dnus Rob: Witham hujus Collegii Praeses nostrâ etiam memoriâ, Regius Librorum in hac Universitate Censor fuerit.

Haec sunt quae Collegiû nostrum Academicû esse convincunt.

Objectio. Si quis autem, objiciat, quod ubicumq. in his Statutis de Collegiis Acadmics sermo est, nulla unquam de nostro Collegio fit mentio: ut patet ex articulis 255, 265, 288 etc.

Respondeo: non voluisse Regem in his statutis definire quænam in hac Universitate Collegia Academica sint, quænam non academica: in supracitatis autem articulis tria tantum collegia vel indicasse vel memorasse, propterea quod illic sermo esset, de officiis aut conferendis aut administrandis, quorû capaces sunt triû tantû Collegiorû Regentes et Magistri: cum coeteri aut Religiosi sint, qui suos tantum docent, aut exteri: qui ante jus civitatis donatum, (quem Naturalizationem vocant) et veteri consuetudine, et per articulû hujus Edicti 123, officia in Universitate gerere non possunt.

*Julius 1752.*

[p. 321]. 7. Dnus Halliwell Lancastriensis ad Collegiû adduxit filium suum Gulielmum Halliwell: item Michaelem et Joannem Brian (verè Grace)\* hibernos et Robertus Sheppard, Joannem Leet†, Josephum Prescott,‡ omnes ad Rudimentis vacaturos.

8. Discessit supradictus Dnus Halliwell, simulq. in missionem anglicanam profecti sunt Rev<sup>di</sup> Dni Hugo Kendall et Petrus Beeston.

10, 11, 12. Theologiam Universam defenderunt Dnus Joannes Chad-

\* Sons of Oliver Grace of Gracefield, Queens County, and Mary daughter of John Dowell of Mantua House, Roscommon. Michael was born in 1735, married Mary daughter of Nicholas Plunkett of Dunsoghley Castle and died 25 August 1785. His brother John Dowell Grace, born in 1736, married a daughter of P. Hussey Esq., of Ardmore. He served several years in the Austrian army, and as one of the Wurtemberg Dragoons escorted Marie Antoinette on her journey to France to marry Louis XVI. He died 25 April, 1811. Like their father they used the *alias* of Bryan, the maiden name of his grandmother. The same *alias* was used by their cousin Raymond.

† According to the First Douay Diary he was son of Timothy Lee and Margaret Leethat [? Lewthwaite] born in the diocese of Lincoln, 1739. After ordination in or about 1762 he taught at Douay till 1767 when he went to England. He laboured in London and for very many years was chaplain at Hammersmith Convent where he died 11 April, 1821. It is necessary to distinguish him from a younger priest of the same name.

‡ Son of John Prescott and Mary Trowers; born in London, 1737. Up to 1762 he is called Joseph in the College lists but after that date Richard or Joseph. He laboured in London where he inherited some property of value. He died 5 Dec 1783 leaving benefactions to Douay and the London District.

wick: Dnus Thomas Talbot Diaconi: et R. D: Robertus Bannister Sacerdos. Hanc Thesim Dnus Praeses Rev<sup>mo</sup> Dno Joanni de Bonneguise nominato Epo Atrebatensi dedicavit. Cujus nomine dedicationem excepit Eximius Dnus. Tein hujus Universitatis Cancellarius.

18. Quem eâ occasione cum reliquis Facultatis Theologicae Doctoribus convivio excepit Dnus Praeses.

12. In Angliam discesserunt brevi ut speramus redituri Dni Jacobus et Thomas Talbot, et Joannes Chadwick: partim ut suos inviserent, partim ut valetudinem curarent.

28. Discessit Carolus Roper (Stonor) e Syntaxi Cameracû a Parentibus vocatus.

*Augustus.*

1. Discessit Joannes Hinde Rudimentarius in Angliam a Patre revocatus.

Circa hoc tempus nos invisit Dnus Barret cû Uxore suâ Dni Joannes Belson sorore, ac Nepote: qui postquam per aliquot dies in hoc oppido ad curandam tam suâ quam fratris valetudinem detenti fuissent, Parisios profecti sunt.

Circa idem tempus nos etiam inviserunt Praenobiles Dni Edwardus Hales Eques et Bart cum uxore suâ, Dnus Darel cum Uxore et Fratre, et Dna Hawkins Thomae Constantine Matre, qui similiter ob malam valetudinē hîc per aliquot dies detenti in Angliam redierunt.

[p. 322]. 2. Brugas concessit Petrus Brown, amicos invisurus post confectum Philosophiae cursum: unde Domû reversus est ultimo Septembris.

Circa mediû hujus mensis Parisios profectus est Nobilis Dnus Joannes Belson, ut sororem variolarû morbo laborante inviseret.

Circa idem tempus Illus<sup>ma</sup> Dna Elizabetha Vidua Baronis de Clifford ac Ducissae de Norfolciâ soror, ex Anglia Cameracû se recepit, ubi etiamnû apud Moniales Anglas hospitatur.

18. Ad Collegiû rudm̃is operam daturus accessit Jacobus Penniman (Messenger), huc deductus a Rev<sup>di</sup> Dno Gul: Foster olim in hoc Collegio praef: Gen. Qui paulo post Lovaniû profectus, inde in Angliam rediit.

*September.*

7. Hoium prope Leodiû concessit Carolus Bond, ut Amitam suam jussu Matris inviseret; Illuc deductus ac 2do die Octobris reductus a Rev<sup>do</sup> Dno Edw: Helmes Phiae Professore.

9. Parentû invitatus Cameracum concessit Joannes Jerningham Physicus et a Matre domû reductus est die ultimo Septembris. Eodem die Ludovicus Wallez Matrem similiter invisit, a quâ domum remissus est ultimo ejusdem mensis die.

Eodem die ad Collegiû ex Angliâ rediit Rev: Dnus Jacobus Talbot, et cum eo Thomas Rawlins rudimentis vacaturus.

Item eodem die Filium suum Edwardû rudm̃is vacaturum ad nos deduxit Dnus Carpue;\* habens in comitatu duos alios mercatores

\* Son of Charles Carpue of London (b. 1697, d. 1773) by his second wife Elizabeth (1705-1748) He was born in London 1740, and died 30 June, 1792. Buried in



Londinenses, qui per duas ferme hebdomadas nos soepius inviserunt.  
15. A Collegio dicessit Alexander de Groot Syntaxianus, Roterodamum a Parentibus missus ut Mercaturae operam daret.

16. Duos pueros nobiles, Thomam et Milonem Stapyilton\* rudimenta vacatuos adduxit Rev: Dnus Jacobus Postlewhaite hujus Collegii alumnus et Sacerdos.

[p. 323]. 20. Post graves diuturni morbi molestias patientissime toleratas, cum maximo pietatis sensu diem supremum obiit Illustrissima Dna Maria, Vidua Comitis de Shrewsbury, pientissima Femina; quae sex Filios ac totidem poene filias sic educavit, ut non minùs maternae virtutis, quam Paternae nobilitatis Hoeredes essent.

22. Dno Praesidi renuntiatum est Reverdū Dnū Edoardum Bartlet ex Angliā Lovanium ad Moniales Anglas venisse. Unde eodem die ad Archiepiscopum Mechliniensem litteras suasorias misit Praeses, ut istius monasterii negotia pro pacis et aequitatis ratione conficienda curaret.

Circa finem hujus mensis Cameraco nos invisum venit Nobilis Dnus Thomas Stonor cum Familia suā.

30. Praenobilis item Dna Jerningham similiter nos invisit, et ad Collegiū reduxit duos Filios suos, Joannem natu maximum et Edoardum ut studia de more prosequerentur.

Sub finem hujus mensis, et initiū sequentis Perillustris Dnus Tho: Webb Eques et Bart soepius nos invisit dum hospitium quaereret Filio suo natu minori cum Tutore suo Rev: Dno Shaw.

*October 1752.*

Cum dies Sto Remigio Sacer hoc anno in dominicam incideret, sacrum sollemne Votivum pro felici studiorū successu in diem proximē sequentem dilatatum est, et scholae feriā 2dā de more apertae.

*Catalogus eorum qui tunc in Collegio fuerunt.*

*Seniores.*

Exim: D: G: Green Praeses.

R. D: Fr. Petre Vicepraes et Oeconomus et Confessarius.

D: Joan: Lodge Theologiae Professor Conf. et Studiorum Praefectus.

D: Jac King Theologiae Exprofessor brevi discessurus.

D: Gul: Wilkinson Logicae Professor et Confessarius.

D: Jac: Talbot Philosophiae Exprofessor et Confessarius Convictor.

D: Edoard Helmes Physicae Professor.

D: Georgius Gibson Praefectus Generalis.

Old St. Pancras churchyard with Mary his wife (1758-1806), and five children unnamed on the tombstone from which this information is taken.

\*The two elder brothers of Bishop Gregory Stapleton, eldest and second sons respectively of Nicholas Stapleton of Carlton Esq., and his third wife, Winifred, dau. of John White Esq. Thomas married first Catherine dau. of Henry Witham Esq., of Cliffe, and secondly Anne dau. of Nicholas Tuite Esq. In 1798 he unsuccessfully claimed the barony of Beaumont. He died 25 April, 1821. Miles born 1737 resided at Drax, was twice married and died 24 Oct., 1808.

*Seniores Convictores.*

{ D: Rob: Johnson Subdiac.  
 { D: Michael Tichbourne.  
 { D: Joannes Belson.  
 { D: Nicolaus Stapylton Diac.  
 Dnus Th: Talbot, Diac: brevi ex Anglia rediturus.

*Professores.*

p. 324]. R: D: Joan: Hawarden Poësius.  
 R: D: Tho: Thompson, Synt.  
 R: D: Joan: Nesfield Rud: 1<sup>arius</sup> Praef. Dor.  
 R: D: Rob: Bannister Rhet. Sacrista.  
 R: D: Gul: Foster Rud: 2<sup>us</sup> Praef. Valet.  
 2 | D: Sac: Wyke Diac Musae Praef.  
 1 | D: Joan: Chadwick Diac. Gramm:  
 quotidia ex Angliâ rediturus expectatur.  
 Mag<sup>r</sup> Ant: Morin Exprof brevi discessurus.

*Theologi.*

Dnus Ant: Clough 4<sup>ti</sup> anni Diac. p.  
 D: Jac: Wilson Subdiac: 4. p.  
 D: Joan: Postlewhate 2<sup>da</sup> sub<sup>d</sup> praef Vest. p.  
 D: Hen Postlewhate Subd praef. Bibl. 3<sup>1</sup> (Winck).  
 Mag<sup>r</sup> Jac. Webb. 3<sup>1</sup> Praef Cul. p.  
 Mag<sup>r</sup> Joan: Corn Conv<sup>r</sup> 2di.  
 Mgr Fran: Cliffe } p  
 Mgr Jacobus Lolly } p 1<sup>mi</sup> anni.  
 Mgr. Joan: Taylor } p  
 Mgr. Pet: Brown }  
 Conv<sup>r</sup> }

*Philosophi.*

Matt: Gibson } (Midford).  
 Ludov Albertus Wallez }  
 Joan: Jerningham }  
 Joan: Fuller } p.

*Logici*

Marm: Wilson p.  
 Jac: Mills (hills)  
 Geo: Randell (L: Howd)  
 Edw. Hawarden p.  
 Joan: Langhorne  
 Edw: Beaumont p.

*Rhetores.*

Car: Shimel. Tho Constantine (Hawkins).  
 Pet Jenkins. Joan: Powell (Roper).  
 Joan: Yates. Tho: Saunderson (Giffard).

*Poetae.*

Car: Blount. Edw: Jerningham.  
 Edm: Winstanley (Lancash). Joan: Saunderson (Giffard).  
 Ric: Fitzpatrick. Hen: Peach (M<sup>r</sup> Jac. T<sup>r</sup>)  
 Joan: Roper (Stonor). Edw: White (Thr Fd).  
 Jac: Dormer.



*Syntaxiani.*

Sim: Warton (Strickland)	Temp. Joan: Robinson (Lancast <sup>r</sup> ).
Joan: Lonsdale (Thornb).	Edw: Smith (Butler Hib).
Joan: Smith (Salvin)	Joan: Searle (Birch).
Car: Towneley.	Fred: Jackson.
Fran: Prujean.	Tho: Mitchell (Ann).
Fran: Hickins (Manbye).	Joan: Frankland (Montag).

*Grammatici.*

Gul: Blacow.	Ant: Lund (60lb.)
Joan: Jones (Ger <sup>d</sup> )	Joan: Lund (60lb.).
Jac: Willacy (B: Ch.)	Gul: Gibson Y et R. F.
Geo Cary.	Joan: Rowe.
Edw: Cary.	Tho. Butler.
Joan: Penketh Bp. Wh: P.	Joan: Prujean.
Joan: Hurst (Musc <sup>t</sup> )	Jac: Brinkhurst.
Gul: Hurst. (Bp. Leyb.).	Geo: Gibson.

*Figuristae.**1<sup>a</sup> Classis.*

[p. 325]. Pet: Witham.	Mich Brian	(Grace).
Gul: Tyrer Lane <sup>r</sup>	Joan Brian	
Geo: Beeston T. T <sup>t</sup>	Rob: Wilkinson (B. Ch.).	
Jac: Maudsley Hayd <sup>a</sup>	Gul: Blevin Ioa T <sup>t</sup>	
Rad: Towneley.	Joa: Lee., 80 lb.	
Tho: Whittingham 100 l.	Phil: Compton Th. Fd.	
Gul: Dillon.	Joan: Knap.	
Geo: Apedale: Hank <sup>n</sup>	Car: Bond.	
Gul: Warrilow (b. ch.).		

*2da Classis.*

Jos: Finch (Middleton).	Fran: Powell	Roper).
Tho: Pope Bp. Ch.	Phil: Powell	
Fran: Stanfield F. B.	Hen: Roper=Stonor.	
Jos: Syers Bp. Ch.	Ric: Gibson. Jac. T <sup>a</sup>	
Ben: Hinde (Bloomr).	Jos: Prescott. (Yate).	
Jac: Nichols Bp. Ch $\frac{1}{2}$	Rob: Wilson. pen.	
Gul: Woolfe.		

*3tia Classis etc.*

Edw: Towneley.	Gu.: Penniman=Messenger.
Ger: Strickland. (Ann).	Milo Stapylton.
Rob: Sheppard.	Tho. Stapylton.
Gul: Halliwell.	Edw: Carpue.
Jac: Hearne D <sup>r</sup> Hold <sup>n</sup> .	Tho: Greenwell.
Fran: Mills. 15 l. pr. an.	Joan: Breme D <sup>r</sup> Hold <sup>n</sup>
Tho: Rawlins $\frac{1}{2}$ Ch et Ja. T.	

Summa 125, praeter famulos.

11. Parisiis domū rediit N: D: Joannes Belson.  
 10. Carolus Bond Rudimentarius e Collegio ad Scholam privatam in oppido Duaceno translatus est, ut linguam gallicanam disceret quoadusq, a Matre aliò mitteretur.

16. In Angliam discessit Rev. adm. Dnus D. Jacobus King (verè Green) postquam Theologiam per duos annos docuerat—Cui in Theologiae Cathedrâ successit D: Jac: Talbot.

17. In Angliam profectus est Mag<sup>r</sup> Antonius Morin, qui confecto Theologiae cursu, per duos annos humaniores litteras docuerat.

19. In Angliam reversus est Rev: Dnus Jacobus Postlewhaite quem Bethuniam usque comitatus est R. D: Jac: Talbot, et Joannes Frater suus natu minor.

21. Ex Anglia ad Collegiū rediit Dnus Nic: Clavering, hic Stapylton Convictor inter Seniores—Diaconus.

25. Itidem ex Anglia rediit D: Joan: Chadwick Diac. post confectum Theologiae cursum; ut Grammaticam doceret.

*Novr 1752.*

[p. 326]. 4. In Festi Sti Caroli Borromaei juramentum alumnorum praestitit Mg<sup>r</sup> Carolus Corn Cestrensis, 2di anni Theologus annos natus 36.

8. Ad Collegium literis operam daturus accessit Franciscus Kempton.

15. Discessit sub Tutore N. D. Joanne Stonor Thomas Giffard Rhetor, filius natu maximus N: Dni Petri Giffard de Chillington Staffordiensis.

Eodem die Turnaco huc concessit Mr.—Bruneau, ut simul musicam doceret, et Philosophiae operam daret.

Circa hoc tempus N: D: Joan Belson in angliam ad tempus profectus, post festa natalitia rediturus putatur.

20. Ad Collegium venit Nicolaus Arsdakin (Archdeacon) mexicanus, literis operam daturus; huc missus a Dno Ley Br:

*Decemb. 1752.*

In 4 Temporibus, Atrebatii ad ordines promoti sunt ab Ill<sup>mo</sup> Dno Joanne Bonneguizio Atrebatensi Episcopo nuper consecrato, sequentes:

Ad Presbyteratum	Dnus Nic. Clavering, hic Stapylton.	
	Dnus Thomas Talbot.	
	Dnus Joannes Chadwick.	
	Dnus Jacobus Wyke.	

Ad Diaconatū	Mg <sup>r</sup> Anton: Clough	Ad Subd	Mg <sup>r</sup> Joan Postlewhate
	Mg <sup>r</sup> Jacobus Wilson		et
	Mg <sup>r</sup> Rob: Johnson		Mr. Henr. Postlewhate

Ad 4 minores Ord: Mag<sup>r</sup> Car. Corn.

Ad Tonsuram et 4 minores Ord:

Jac: Webb: Jac: Lolly, Joan Taylor, Fran Cliffe.

28. Ad juramentum Alumnorum admissus est Carolus Shimell Rhetor, Exoniensis, annos natus fere 17.

N.Bene. hoc anno Personae in hoc Collegio sustentatae, praeter famulos, fuere 122; et in singulos expensae sunt Librae Ang:

l.	s.	d.
22	:	3 : 4½

*Jan: 1753.*

[p. 327]. 9. De consensu Patris hinc Audomaropolim ad Jesuitas Anglos concessit Petrus Jenkins Rhetor.

23. Jussu Matris Puer Nobilis Carolus Bond Rudimentarius ad Colleg-



ium Anglo-Dominicanum Burhamiense studia prosecuturus discessit sub tutela R: Patris Gage.

*Februarius 1735.*

14. Pro 1<sup>o</sup> Licentiatûs actu Theses de Incarnatione in Scholis publicis coram Universitate defendit R: D. Jac Talbot.

17. Theses de Philosophia Naturali sub R: D: Edoard Helmes cum laude propugnarunt Mane Physici, viz Matthaeus Gibson, et Ludovicus Wallez.

*Martius 1753.*

11. Jacobus Mills Logicus Catholicis parentibus Londini natus die 30 Oct. anno 1734, ad Juramentû Alumnorû Pontificiorû admissus est.

12. Discesserunt Parisios Jacobus Heron sive Hearn et Joannes Breame, Rudimentarii.

*Aprilis Vacat.*

*Maius 1753.*

3. Discessit Franciscus Hickin's (Manbye) Syntaxianus in Angliam a Patre vocatus.

5. Mag<sup>r</sup> Michael Tichbourne Sen<sup>r</sup> Convictor hinc Brugae se recepit unde paulo post in Angliam a Patre vocatus est.

Hoc mense nos invisum Lovanio venit R: D: Edoardus Bartolomaeus Monialiû Anglarum ibi degentiû Confessarius. Sed paucis post diebus accepto ex Angliâ nuncio de morte Fratris sui natu majoris, Lovanium reverti, et in Angliam trajicere coactus est, ut hoereditatem sibi a Fratre relictam iniret. Unde factû est ut non nisi aliquot post mensibus Lovaniû ad Moniales rediret.

26. Ad juramentû Pontificiû admissus est Petrus Browne ex dispensatione Eminentissimi Dni Cardinalis Protectoris; propterea quod in Portu Calensi Regni Lusitaniae matre quidem Angliâ sed Patre Hiberno natus esset. Annum tunc agebat aetatis 23 inchoatû, Studii Theologici annû primû.

28. Jussu Matris Parisios concessit Carolus Townely, eò deductus a Tutore suo R: D: Turb: Needham Collegii hujus Alumno ac Philosophiae quondam Professore.

*Junius 1753.*

[p. 328]. 2. Logicam defenderunt Joannes Langhorne, Edwardus Beaumont, Valentinianus Wilkinson, Edwardus Hawarden, Praesidis R: D: Gulielmo Wilkinson.

13. Ex Angliâ ad nos venit recuperandae valetudinis gratiâ R: D: Thomas Sheriff\* Presbyter Collegii Anglorû Romae ab Ill<sup>mo</sup> Dno Benjamin Petre Epô Prusensi huc missus.

14. Discessit Petrus Witham Rudimentarius valetudinis causâ.

18. Jacobus Dormer Poeta, Patris jussu, in Angliam reversus est.

23. Raimundus Brian (Grace)† Hibernus huc venit rudimentis operaturus.

\* Son of Thomas and Mary Sheriff of London. Ordained at Rome 23 May, 1744, he laboured in the London district till his health broke down. He continued at Douay till his death 17 Sept., 1758.

† He was a first cousin of Michael and John Grace, being the son of their uncle Sheffield Grace and Frances daughter of John Bagot of Castle Bagot. He was born in 1735; and died unmarried in France, 1764.

26. Discessit Joannes Robinson Lancastr: Poeta—et eodem die ad Collegium accessit rudimentis operam daturus Tho: Warburton.

26. et 27. Theses (Tractatum) de Incarnatione defenderunt Mag<sup>r</sup> Stephanus Lolly, Mag<sup>r</sup> Fr: Cliffe, Mag<sup>r</sup> Joannes Taylor, Mag<sup>r</sup> Petrus Brown, Praeside Rev: Dno: Jac: Talbot S. Theol Licentiato inchoato.

30. Ad Collegium accessit rudina ingressurus Thomas Storey Northumb<sup>r</sup>.

Sub Finem hujus mensis Illustrissimus Baron de Teynham cum Uxore sua et familiâ nos invisit; ex Angliâ se recipiens, et aliquamdiu in Galliâ commorari meditans ob Filii sui natu maximi infelix cû Protestante puellâ initum matrimonium et a fide catholicâ defectionem.

30. Philosophiam universam Praeside R: D: Edw: Helmes, Ill<sup>mo</sup> Baroni de Stafford avunculo suo dedicavit et cum laude defendit Joannes Jerningham, praesentibus Patre ac Matre, et Baronis de Stafford personam gerente praenobili Dno Thery d'Oppy Urbis et provinciae Duacensis Praetore.

#### Julius 1753.

1. Cameracû cum Parentibus se recepit praedictus Joannes Jerningham ac brevi post tempore Rhemos cum iisdem profectus est.

3. In Missionem Anglicanam profectus est R: D: Geo: Gibson Praefectus Generalis: Quem comitatus est R: D: Edwardus Helmes Philosophiae Professor, negotia quaedâ privata in Angliâ expediturus, iisq. confectis rediturus.

8. Parisios profectus ē Dnus Praeses, multorum literis ad hoc poene compulsus, existimantium litem nostram Coutichianam, quo apud Concilii Regii Judices jamdiu suspensa jacuerat, contra nos brevi tempore decidendam, nisi intercedendo mora aliqua injici posset. Hac de causâ tribus mensibus Parisiis haesit Praeses, eo tm fructu, quod caâ nrâ sub iisdem adhuc iudiciis indecisa maneat.

[p. 330; (no page 329)]. Eundem Parisios honoris et amicitiae causâ comitatus Nob: Dnus Joannes Belson, qui die 30 mensis superioris ex Angliâ Duacû redierat et circa mediû Augusti Parisiis Duacû, et deinde Caletum, Dunkircam etc. ob similes causas profectus, paucis post hebdomadis domum reversus est.

20 et 21. Theologiam universâ cum laude propugnarunt Sub. R: Dno: Joanne Lodge, Dnus Antonius Clough, et Dnus Jacobus Wilson.

Superiore mense nos inviserunt Praenob. Dnus Edwardus Hales cum conjuge sua, Dnus item Darell cum conjuge et Fratre et Dna Hawkins, qui omnes a Praeside convivio excepti sunt. Mense etiam Maio nos similiter inviserat et convivio exceptus est Praenob: Dnus Thomas Webb.

Alteram etiam Thesim in Hallis publicis pro 2dâ ad Licentiâ responsione, vere praecedente, sustinuerat R: D: Jac: Talbot.

#### Augustus, 1753.

1. E Poesi discessit Ricardus Fitzpatrick, non mediocris ingenii

\* Son of John Storey and Frances Selby, born in Northumberland, 1739. After ordination at Douay, and some teaching at St. Omer, he was chaplain to the Claverings at Callaly and subsequently missioner at Hexham where he died 2 Feb., 1795, in consequence of an attack made upon him by some women. See C. R. S. VII, 320.



juvenis, qui nisi sociorum et amicorum consiliis nimum obsequi fuisset, magno huic Collegio ornamento esse poterat.

8. In missionem Anglicanam profectus est R: D: Nic: Claverius (hic Stapylton) Convictor, qui hic a pueritia educatus totum studiorum cursum apud nos absolverat.

19. Duaci apud Monachos Anglos in Aede Sti Gregorii vigore Indulgentiae Apostolici, ac de licentia Illmi Dni Ep'i Atreb. sequentes e nostris sacris Ordinibus initiati sunt ab Illmo et Revmo Dno Laurentio York\* Episcopo Nisibensi ex Ordine Sti Benedicti assumpto, et in partibus Angliae occidentalibus Vicario Apostolico.

Ad sacrum Presbyteratus ordinem promoti sunt Dnus Antonius Clouet et D: Jacobus Wilson.

Ad Diaconatum Dnus Joannes Postlewhate et Dnus Henricus Postlewhate Fratres.

Ad Subdiaconatum Magr Jacobus Webb, Magr Carolus Corn, Magr Jacobus Lolly Mgr Joannes Taylor, Magr Franciscus Cliffe Acolythi.

Ad primam Tonsuram, ad 4 minores Ordines et ad Subdiaconatum Magr Petrus Browne.

N.B. Sub idem tempus, Romae in forma Brevis a Summo Pontifice missae sunt ad omnes in Angliam Vicarios Apostolicos, *Regulae observandae in Anglicanis Missionibus etc.*†

In his Summus Pontifex Vicariorum suorum *Potestatem Ordinariam* qualem in suis Diocesibus reliqui Episcopi obtinent, stabilit et confirmat jurisdictionis eorum supra sacerdotes tam Regulares quam saeculares limites figit: Regularium privilegia quaedam et Indulgentias ab iis concedi solitas suspendit. [p. 331]. Abusus corrigit tam Regularium quam Saecularium: utrisque mandat ut Catechismus seu doctrina Christianam Fidei populo diligenter explicant: aliaque multa statuit ad pacem fovendam, et missionis opus promovendum perutilia—Vide Regulas impressas, cum Mandatis Vicariorum Apostolicorum in Bibl. Theolog.

Hoc Brevi accepto Vicarii Apostolici, missis Romam literis, summam suae sanctitati gratias egerunt: et brevi post tempore Mandata impressa pro suis quique Districtibus ediderunt; quibus Brevis Apostolici observantiam Missionariis omnibus tam saecularibus quam Regularibus injunxerunt. Hac occasione suborta sunt inter Regulares quibusdam in locis murmura et querelae; sed Vicariorum Apostolicorum prudentia et superiorum Regularium auctoritate compressa sunt; et Disciplina. S: Pontifice injuncta ab omnibus observari coepta est circa initium Januarii anno 1754.

20. In Missionem Anglicanam lucrandarum animarum causa sponte profectus est R: D: Thomas Talbot Convictor; qui sua apud nos studia confecerat; et Collegium nostrum per multos annos exempli suo ac pietate non vulgari aedificaverat.

20. Eodem die ad infimam Rudimentorum Classem accessit Thomas Bradshaw.

\* Vicar Apostolic of the Western District, 1750-1763.

† For this important ecclesiastical legislation see *Life and Times of Bishop Challoner* Chapter XIX, Vol. I, 306-324.

Sub hoc tempus Nos invisit Dnus Prujean Junior et paulo post in Angliam reversus est.

Sub idem etiam tempus Collegiū inviserunt Dnus Chester et Dnus Langhorne; qui paucis post diebus in Angliam redierunt.

Hoc etiam mense in Angliam curandae valetudinis gratiā profectus est Joannes Fuller 2di anni Philosophus et Alumnus.

*September, 1753.*

11. In Angliā lucrandarū animarum caā missus est R: D: Thomas Thompson (verè Barneby) qui post confecta Theologiae studia duobus-annis humaniores literas docuerat.

14. Omnibus Ecclesiae sacramentis munitus diem obiit pius juvenis Franciscus Prujean Rhetor.

x { Circa hoc tempus Collegiū invisit R: adm. Dnus Albanus Butler  
qui Theologiam multis annis hic docuerat; et paucis post diebus in  
Angliam reversus est.

x Hoc superiore mense contigit.

Sub initiū hujus mensis Praeses literis R: D: Edwardi Helmes vehementer ad hoc sollicitatus, veniam illi concessit in Angliā manendi.

22. Ad Collegiū venit primis Latinitatis elementis imbuendus Josephus Lodge Eboracensis.

Hoc tempore Collegium invisit R: D: Williams Presbyter Romanus qui ante inchoatam missionem aliquamdiu hic vixerat.

[p. 332]. 29. In Angliam reversus est supradictus Dnus Williams et cum eo discessit Joannes Rowe Grammaticus.

*October, 1753.*

1. Annus Scholasticus hodie cum usitatis solemnitatibus inchoatus est. Numerabantur autem tunc in Collegio sequentes:

*Seniores.*

Exim. D: Gul: Green Praeses.

Dnus Fr: Petre Vicepraes. et Oeconomus.

Dnus Joan: Lodge Theologiae Professor Praefectus Studiorum.

Dnus Jac: Talbot Theologiae Professor.

Dnus: Gul: Wilkinson Philosophiae Professor.

Dnus: Robertus Johnson Convictor.

Dnus Joan. Nesfield Praefectus Generalis.

Dnus Rob: Banister Logicae Professor.

Dnus Joan. Belson Convictor.

*Proff. et Sacerdotes.*

Dnus Thomas Sheriff Convictor.

Dnus Joan: Hawarden Rhet. prof.

D: Gul. Foster Rud: prof 1 Martins.

D: Jac Wyke Praef: musaei.

D: Joan Chadwick Poesios prof.

D: Anton. Clough Syntaxeos Prof.

D: Jac: Wilson Rud: Prof: 2<sup>rius</sup>.

Mg<sup>t</sup> Matth Gibson Gramm: prof: et Praef: Dormit.

Mg<sup>t</sup>—Bruneau Musices prof.



*Theologi.*

D: Joan Postlewhate 3. Diac. praef Valet.  
 D: Jac: Webb. 4 Subdiac.  
 D: Carolus Corn 3 l 4. Subdiac: Pr. Cul.  
 D: Jac: Lolly 2. Subdiac.  
 D: Joan: Taylor 2. Subdiac. Praef Bib.  
 D: Fran: Cliffe 2. Subdiac Pr. Vest.  
 D: Petrus Browne 2 Subdiac.  
 Mgr Joan: Fuller 1. nondū redux.  
 Mgr Lud: Albert Wallez 1.

*Philosophi.*

Marm<sup>d</sup> Wilson. Edw: Hawarden.  
 Jac: Mills. Joan Langhorne.  
 Geo. Randall (L<sup>r</sup> H.F.). Edw: Beaumont.

*Logici.*

Joan Powel *alias* Roper. Carolus Shimel.  
 Joannes Yate. Carolus Blount.  
 Thomas Constantine=Hawkins. Edmundus Winstandley (Bordk)

*Rhetores.*

Joannes Saunderson=Giffard. Edwardus White.  
 Edwardus Jerningham. Henricus Peach (Mr. J<sup>s</sup> T.).  
 Joan: Roper=Stonor. Joan: Lonsdale (D<sup>r</sup>. Thornb.)

*Poetae.*

Simon Warton=Strickland Tho: Mitchell (Ann).  
 (Temp) Joannes Jones (Gerard).  
 Joannes Smith (Salvin). Gul: Blacow.  
 Joan: Frankland (Montag). Jacobus Brinkhurst (L<sup>r</sup> Curson).  
 Fredricus Jackson. Joannes Penketh (B<sup>r</sup>. White).  
 Edwardus Smith=Butler. Joannes Lund.  
 Joannes Searle (Birch). Joannes Hurst.

*Syntaxiani.*

Tho. Butler. Joan Prujean.  
 Geo: Cary. Geo. Gibson.  
 Edw. Cary. Jac: Mawdsley (Hayd).  
 Anton, Lund. Geo: Beeston (M.T.T.).  
 Jac: Willacy (B. Chal). Joan: Lee (80).  
 Gul. Hurst (bp. Leyb. etc). Tho: Wittingham (100).  
 Gul. Gibson (S<sup>r</sup> J. Yate etc). Joan: Gorman.

*Grammatici.*

[p. 333]. Rad: Towneley. Mich. Brian } Grace.  
 Joan: Knap (Montg). Joan: Brian }  
 Gul: Tyrer (Lanc<sup>r</sup>). Phil. Compton (tr. tr.).  
 Gul: Warrilow (bp: Ch<sup>r</sup>) W<sup>m</sup> Blevin (M. 1<sup>a</sup> T.).  
 Geo: Apedale (In<sup>a</sup> Hank). Fran: Kempton.  
 Gul: Dillon.

*1a Classis Rudim.*

Jos: Finch=Littleton (Montag) Jos. Prescot (new Y<sup>a</sup>. F<sup>d</sup>).  
 Tho Pope (B. Ch<sup>r</sup>) Rob. Wilson Pen.

Fr: Stanfield (Bonf).	Gul: Woolfe.
Jos: Syers (B: Ch <sup>r</sup> ).	Tho: Bradshaw (Ger <sup>d</sup> ).
Ben: Hinde (Bloomer).	Fr. Mills (15 et Pen).
Jac: Nichols (F <sup>r</sup> et B. Ch <sup>r</sup> )	Edmund Brian=Grace.
Fr. Powel } =Roper.	Tho. Stapylton.
Phi Powel }	Miles Stapylton.
Hen Roper=Stonor.	
Ric: Gibson (M. I <sup>s</sup> T)	Th: Rawlins { Fr. $\frac{1}{2}$ B. Ch <sup>r</sup> $\frac{1}{2}$ M. J <sup>s</sup> T $\frac{1}{2}$ }

*2da Classis Rud.*

Edw: Towneley.	Tho: Warburton.
Ger <sup>d</sup> : Strickland (Ann).	Gul: Penniman=Messenger.
Rob: Shepperd (Mr. Parkinson)	Jos: Lodge.

*3tia Classis Rud.*

Edw: Carpue	Car. Howard (Bordl) came 13 Oct <sup>r</sup>
Nic: Arsdekin	Th: Storey (Midf <sup>d</sup> )
Tho: Greenwell	Jac: Tyrer (Bordl) came 13 Oct <sup>r</sup>
Gul: Halliwell	

*Summa 115. prætr Famulos.*

N.B. Omissi sunt in hoc Catalogo. D: Hen. Postlewhate et Robertus Wilkinson, q<sup>i</sup> hoc mense mortui sunt.

*October 1753.*

11. Diem pie obiit Robertus Wilkinson Grammaticus.

13. Mortuus etiam est D: Henricus Postlewhate Diaconus 4ti anni Theologus—Eodem die ad Collegium primis elementis Latinitatis operā navaturi accesserunt Jacobus Tyrer\* et Carolus Howard.†

14. Dnus Praeses Parisiis domum reversus est.

29. R: Dnus Jacobus Wyke Dunkircam profectus est ad Clarissas Anglas ut Dno Oswaldo Lancaster earum Confessario graviter tunc decumbenti auxilio esset.—Mortuus est autem dictus Dnus Lancaster die quarto mensis sequentis, et tam suis quam exteris magnum sui desiderium reliquit.

*November 1753.*

3. Ad juramentum Pontificium admissi sunt Edwardus White Rhetor, in Vigornia natus catholicis parentibus, annum agens 23<sup>us</sup> Et Joannes Hurst Poeta Catholicis item parentibus in Agro Lancastriensi natus 19<sup>o</sup> aetatis annum agens.

12. Discessit Mag<sup>r</sup> Bruneau Musices Professor; musicus quidem bonus, sed regularis disciplinae adm. negligens.

19. Hinc ad Vicum Esquerchinensem migravit R:D: Robertus Johnson convictor, ut sub R: Dno Jacobo Talbot scholam illic aperiret.

\* Born in Lancashire 1741; afterwards missioner at Lancaster till his death 5 May, 1784. See memoir C.R.S. xx, 74.

† Charles Howard *als* Formby D.D. was son of James Howard and Ann Formby and was born in Lancashire 1740. After one year's philosophy at Douay he entered St. Gregory's, Paris, in 1760, where he was ordained priest in 1765 and took his doctorate in 1770. After some time at Linton-on-Ouse, Yorks, he accompanied Charles Talbot, afterwards Earl of Shrewsbury, as travelling tutor abroad. In 1774 he became chaplain at Burton Constable where he remained till his death 12 Jan., 1821.



27. Ad Collegium prosecuturus studia missus est Joannes Franciscus Gorman et Syntaxianis annumeratus est.

*December 1753.*

[p. 334]. 20. R:D Joannes Strickland, hujus quondam Collegii Sacerdos, postquā annis quinq. Parisiis commoratus est, ut Gradus ibidem susciperet, a Sapientissimo Dno Joanne Holden Seminarii Anglicani Rectore Dunkircam missus, ut ibi Confessarii munus apud Clarissas Anglas obiret, nos in transitu invisit et post Festa Natalitia nobiscū peracta, Dunkircā ad munus sibi destinatum perrexit.

22. Atrebatī Sabbato 4 Temporū promoti sunt ad sacrum Diaconatus Ordinem D: Jac: Webb, et Dnus Carolus Corn. Et ad 4 Minores Ordines Mag<sup>r</sup> Ludovicus Albertus Wallez.

N.B. Hic Annus Galliae calamitosus fuit ob dissidia inter Regem et Parliamenta, praesertim Parisiense. Quorsū autem evasura res sit non perspicimus: interim vero Clerus misere vexatur et opprimitur, partim Parliamentorū partim Publicanorum injustitiā.

*Januarius 1754.*

5. R: D: Jac: Talbot iter Parisios negotiorum causā ingressus est, intra paucas hebdomadas, ut speramus, rediturus. Illius vice Theologiam docuit Dnus Praeses.

7. Dnus Joannes Belson, Honoris et amicitiae causa comitatus est Dominū Strickland, de quo supra, Dunkercam usque et inde in Angliā trajiciens brevi tempore se rediturum pollicetur.

24. Ad Collegium redierunt ex Angliā Mag<sup>r</sup> Joannes Faller; Dunkercā Dnus Wyke; ad Collegiū secum deducentes Joannem Sudell (tr. tr.) rudimentis vacaturum.

*Februarius 1754.*

Sub initium hujus mensis epistolas Romā accepit D: Praeses quibus nomine Cardinalis Ducis Eboracensis ipsi demandatum est munus dissidia inter Carthusianos Anglos Neoporti exorta componendi. Ut autem se ad hoc melius et efficacius efficiendum praepararet, reliquam hujus mensis partem, insumpsit in literis partim Bruxellas ad Provinciae Teutonicae Visitatores, partim Neoportū ad Carthusianos Anglos conscriptis.

Sub finem ejusdem Mensis Parisiis rediit D: Jac: Talbot.

*Martius 1754.*

4. Iter Neoportum versus ingressus est Dnus Praeses supradicti negotii causa, et in itinere salutavit Illustrissimum Dnū Episcopū Ipreensem, ut cum eo de Carthusianorum Anglorum rebus ageret.

[p. 335]. De illius autem consilio Dunkircam etiam adiit, ut alios quosdam de eorundem rebus consuleret. Unde factum est ut non nisi 11<sup>o</sup> ejusdem mensis Neoportum pervexerit. Ubi postquam per hebdomadam integram commoratus est, rebus Carthusianorū prout poterat compositis, per Dunkircam, et Ipras domum reversus est die 23 ejusdem mensis.

13. Ad Collegium venit Joannes Bosier\* magnae pietatis juvenis,

\* Comparison with the *First Diary* and the *Prefect of Studies Book* shows that this student's name was John Boucher. He was born in London 1731.

ut statui se Ecclesiastico praepararet, et Grammaticorum classi adscriptus est.

15 et 16. Philosophiam na[tur]alem sub. D. Gul: Wilkinson propugnarunt Edwardus Beaumont Valentinianus Wilson, Jacobus Mills Edwardus Howarden; Joannes Langhorne Georgius Randell.

18. R: D: Joannes Hawarden Rhetoricae Professor in Angliam iter aggressus est, negotiorum causâ, brevi tempore rediturus.

25. Lex ab Angliae Parlamento superiore anno lata de clandestinis matrimoniis prohibendis\* ac de compellendo Sectarios omnes (etiam Catholicos) ut in Eccliis Protestantium coram ministris hereticis matrimonium ineant; hoc ipso die vigere jam coepit. Quid autem Vicarii Apostolici statuerint de modo, quo se gerere debeant Catholici nondum audio.

Sub finem hujus mensis Illustrissimi Barones Dnus et Dna de Teynham in Angliam redeuntes nos inviserunt. Et eodē tempore Perillustres Dnus et Dna Hawkins ex Anglia Cameracum se recipientes. Qui omnes diversis temporibus a nobis convivio excepti sunt.

*Aprilis 1754.*

13. In vigiliâ Paschatis juramento Alumnorum Pontificiorum se obstrinxerunt Ludovicus Albertus Wallez, 1<sup>m</sup> anni Theologus Londini ex Catholicis quidem, sed Belgicis parentibus natus annos habens 22½. Et Joannes Iones Poeta ex Lancastria oriundus patre quidem haeretico, sed matre Catholicâ annos natus fere 22. Et Joannes Lund Poeta ex Lancast. annū agens 21½.

20. Ad Collegium accesserunt tres juvenes ab ill<sup>mo</sup> D. Challonero missi,† ut se ad statū Ecclesiasticū praepararent; viz Ioannes Lindow‡ Josephus Bolton§ (quorū pensiones solvit idē ill<sup>mos</sup> D: Challonerus) et Joannes Faithwaits, Lancastrienses omnes, et a primis rudimentis incepturi.

20. Eodem Die jussu Patris Insulas profecti sunt Joannes et Henricus Stonor; ut fratrem suum natu minimum huc deducerent in Scholâ Esquerchinensi collocandum.

[p. 336]. 29. Non ante hunc diem domum domū [sic] reversi sunt Ioannes et Henricus Stonor causa autem fuit quod Franciscus eorum Frater|| ad diem expectatum Insulas non venit.

\* See *Life and Times of Bishop Challoner*, Chap. XX, *The Marriage Act of 1753*, I, 325-345.

† Two of these three boys sent by Bishop Challoner—John Lindow and Joseph Bolton—were afterwards as priests intimately associated with him. They lived with him as his chaplains, both witnessed his will, and were remembered in his instructions to his executors; Mr. Bolton was at dinner with him when he was seized with paralysis. See ensuing notes.

‡ Son of James Lindow and Bridget Ormanby, born in Lancashire 1730, after ordination a very zealous missionary in London, lived with Bishop Talbot and later with Bishop Douglass at 4 Castle St.; capitular 1770, Dean of the Chapter 1794-1806; retired to St. Edmund's College, Old Hall, in 1802, died there 9 Dec., 1806; buried in Standon churchyard.

§ Son of William Bolton of Ribbleton, near Preston, Lancs., and Ann Blackburn, born 1736, chaplain to Bishop Challoner; capitular 1769; V.G. for London District under Bishop Talbot; died 16 Dec. 1783. See Gillow, *Dict.* I, 259.

|| Youngest son of Thomas Stonor Esq. of Stonor and Mary Eugenia, dau. of John Biddulph of Biddulph, Esq.



29. Eodem Die Duacū ad Collegium rediit Dnus Ioannes Belson post moram expectato longiorem in Angliā.

*Maius 1754.*

4. Duo ex nostris puerulis de consensu Patrum suorū hinc ad Scholam Esquerchinensem translati sunt; viz. Thomas Greenwell et Edw: Carpue.

*[Dr. Green's writing ceases. That which follows down to the end of 1778 is in a bold careless hand, much disfigured by interlineations, deletions and blots.]*

N.B. Deinceps per annos plures quam viginti omisum est aliquid Diarii hujus litteris mandari usque ad an 1775 finientem; quae verb praecipua sunt pretermisita hic breviter aliquatenus memoriae prodemus.

*Aug 1755.*

Non ante hoc tempus potuit Erud. D. Iac. Talbot proficisci ad regendam scholam Esquerchinensem quam magnis suis sumptibus emerat et reparaverat; erat enim necessario occupatus hoc et superiore anno tradendis in Collegio lectionibus Theologiae quas ut finierat, eodem promptissimo in Almam Matrem animo operam suam et patientiam in puerulis doctrinā et pietate informandis conferebat, quo pecuniam antea contulerat.

*1757.*

Hoc anno inchoante nocte insequente Epiphaniā. D. N. I. C. parum omnino abfuit quin Domus haec tota igne consumeretur. Vesperā enim Epiphaniae cum vehementer canderet ignis ille magnus quem habere mos erat unum omnibus infra Theologiam communem intra dies feriales Natalis Domini, ex pueris quidam lasciviores quam decuit lateribus rebusque aliis in ignem injectis tantā copiā scintillas excitant ut non modo caminam scholae Rudimentariorum in quā ignis accendebatur, sed etiam adjacentem illi vestiariū flammae corripere; nec certe nisi speciali curā Providentiae fuissent in tempore perceptae; nihil enim quisquam senserat donec Praefectus Generalis adiens Vestiariū Stragulam quaesitū quō quendā de frigore conquerentem cooperiret in latens incendium casu incideret. *Misericordias Dni in aeternum Cantabo.*

*1762.*

[p. 337]. Die 26 Jan: Pie obiit omnibus Ecclesiae Sacramentis ritē munitus Rev: D: Franc: Petre (alias Squib) huj: Coll: ab an 1730 Vice-Praeses et Oeconomus, fuerat autem Oeconomus ab an 1722 et magna omnium approbatione et laude munus illud laboriosum per annos quadraginta exercuerat. Officiū suū inchoaverat construendo sacellum nostrum in honorem divinum sub Patrocinio S. Th. Cant; ejusdem Muneris finem sacravit ornando idem sacellum circa biennium ante mortem pulcherrimo ex marmore tabernaculo, quod Deo consecravit Illustrissimus Dnus Jac: Talbot, tunc ipse nuperrimē consecratus Episcopus pro partibus Angliae Meridionalibus, quique scholam suam Esquerchinensem commiserat curae Viri Dignissimi Rev: D: Hen: Tichbourne Blount, qui antea fuerat Confessarius Monialibus Anglis Rothomagi degentibus. Rev: D: Petre defuncto in munus Vice-

Praesidis et Procuratoris ab Exim: D: Gul: Green Praeside tuncque in Anglia ob valetudinem recuperandam absente successor constitutus est Rev. D. Gul. Wilkinson (alias Fletcher) qui quondam Praefecti Generalis munus cum laude obierat, tunc autem Philosophiam ab aliquot annis cum applausu docuerat, fueratque per aliquod ante tempus auxilio Dno Petre in laboribus Oeconomicis subeundis.

Vix Munus Procuratoris inierat D. Wilkinson cum ingens pecuniae pondus haud minus 2000 libris monetae Anglicanae quod [*sic*] non ab ipso sed ab Agente Coll: Londinensi mutuo datum fuerat amissum est, uti videre è in Libris Procuratoris.

Hoc dum Collegium damnum subiit nunquam (ut videtur) reparandum venit Parisiis scripta epistola 17 Julii Rev. D. Wilkinson nihil minus expectanti, in qua commissum est Coll: Audomarense Iesuitarum, cito è regno expellendorum nostris hominibus regendum. Oblocutionis et calumniae fertilis haec seges non modo speciatim contra Pr. D: Vice-Praesidem, Exim. D. Praesidem, Rev: tunc D: Th: Talbot et R: D: Hen: Tichbourne Blount (qui summè licet inviti praecipuas tamen partes agebant in illo Coll: occupando) sed etiam generatim contra Seculares omnes Sacerdotes nullius tamen sibi mali conscios.\*

[p. 338]. Die 6<sup>to</sup> Augusti exiit Edictum à Coetu Parliament: Parisiensis quo suis e Coll: pulsi sunt omnes omnino Patres Societatis Jesu (Anglis non exceptis) intra illius Parliamenti jurisdictionem habitantes; manserunt tamen Iesuitae Angli Audomari etiam jussu Magistratuum usque ad diem 19 mensis Octobris; deinde die 29 ejusdem mensis e nostris fuerunt Intromissi Pr. D: Blount partes gerens D. Th: Talbot Praesidis a Parlamento constituti, D. Wilkinson illius etiam domûs designatus in praesens Vice-Praeses, duo alii Sacerdotes et tres è Theologia Studiosi illuc demissi, qui quinque Professorum litterarum humaniorum locum tenerent. Quòd autem haec omnia gerebantur, nostris magis etiam fortasse quam oportuit renitentibus, et quasi compulsis Parlamento Parisiensi studenti Religionis bono obsequentibus, constat evidenter ex litteris Clarissimi Viri D. Roussel de La Tour Magistratibus civitatis Audomarensis datis 12 Decembris huj: anni, et ex iis 14 ejdem mensis Ex. D: Green ab eodem inscriptis, quae ambae in Nostro hoc Collegio servantur. Quod etiam ut confido, jam mundo persuasum est.

1763.

Ineunte vere qui in Schola Esquerchinensi habitabant pueri migrabant perique ad Coll: Audom: ubi Studia Grammatica eo in loco tunc inchoantia prosequerentur.

1765.

Initio Aprilis à nostro etiam Parlamento Flandriae è locis ipsius jurisdictioni subditis depellebantur Iesuitae.

Et circa hoc tempus R: D: Th. Talbot Electus Coadjutor D. Horny-old Illustrissimo Praesuli partium Angliae mediarum, munus sibi semper visum onerosum pro alio haud minùs molesto commutavit. In

\* See *Life and Times of Bishop Challoner*, Chapters XXV and XXVI, *The St. Omer Difficulty*, II, 39-77.



ejus locum Praesidis Coll: Audom. successit Vir omni doctrinarum genere insignis Rev: D: Albanus Butler.

Circa hoc etiam tempus coacti sumus retrovendere priscis Possessoribus Villam nostram La Croix cum aliis fundis ex eo quod negleximus habere debitis registris inscriptum Parisiis emptionis pactum.

1768.

[p. 339]. Annus hic celebris habebatur ob Collegii jubileum quum fuerit annus ducentessimus a primâ Collegii fundatione.

Sed et illud memoriâ dignum, quod hoc eodem anno incipiente, die nimirum 3<sup>to</sup> Januarii, ad Collegium Jesuitarum expulso Vallisoleti occupandum hinc decesserunt Sapientissimus Dominus Philippus Perry Doctor Sorbonicus Praeses designatus, et Rev: D: Josephus Shepherd electus Vice-Praeses, qui in Hispaniam perventi magnam apud Procere regni gratiam invenerunt, et annuos redditus Collegii etiam Hispalensis Anglicani cum illis Vallisoleti adunitas atque duas villas locupletes receperunt.

Die 20 Maii, Vallisoletum petiit Rev. D: Joannes Douglas\* cum primâ colonia sex circiter juvenum.

Diem 10 Iulii designaverat Ex: D: Praeses inchoandae laetitiae jubilarum, eam igitur incepimus p [sic] Indulgentiam plenariam in nostro sacello concessam ex beneficio Sedis Apostolicae propter nostros labores in Angliae conversionem. Dies ille incidit in Dominicam et maxima pars reliquae hebdomadae dabatur recreationi; et epulis quibusdam excipiebantur omnes Studiosi ex generosorum nonnullorum liberalitate [sic].

1769.

Die 15 Aug: ad laborandum in vineâ Anglicanâ profectus est Rev. D. Banister postquam unum annum Rhetoricam, quatuor Philosophiam et duodecim annos Theologiam magna cum laude docuerat.

Circa hoc tempus, ni fallor, obiit in Angliâ Illustrissimus D: Gul: Maire Vic: Ap: per breve tempus in partibus Angliae Septent: illi successit R: D: Gul: Walton quondam hic Philosophiae et Theologiae Professor.

1770.

Cum per aliquot annos Exim: D: Praeses podagra aegrè laborasset et aliis morbis ita fuisset confectus ut aliquem sibi adiutorem ad munus suum obeundum desideraret, vocatus est ex Angliâ perquam licet invitatus Rev: D: Hen: Tichbourne Blount. qui quosdam tunc annos notâ praedicatione messem Anglicanam rigaverat. Officium igitur

Praesidis hujus Collegii voluntariè deponens Ex: D: Praeses 15<sup>us</sup> Green die 22 Aug: eodem Die in locum ejus suffectus est R. D. Blount vi litterarum a Congregatione de

Propaganda Fide.

[p. 340]. Die primo Decembris Magno omnium cum luctu non modo hic viventium sed etiam ubicunque hujus Collegii Amicorum, postquam ultimis Ecclesiae Sacramentis fuisset debito modo praemunitus, magnâ cum animi tranquillitate, praeclarum virtutum omnium exemplum nobis posteris [sic] relinquens, diem suum obiit supremum Eximius Dominus

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Gulielmus Green (alias Scot) qui an: 1740 jam profecturus in missionem Anglicanam, postquam litteras humaniores ante studium Theologiae, postea vero Philosophiam Sacramque Theologiam docuerat, tandem laureâ Doctrinali meritò est insignitus et an 1750 reversus ad Collegium ut vacans officium Praesidis Decimi quarti praestaret, ita eo munere fungebatur ut dum morum gravitate debitam distantiam servaret omnium tamen animos et obsequium sibi mirâ benevolentia devinceret. Aeternâ faxit Deus requiescat in pace.

Hoc anno 2<sup>dam</sup> coloniam duxit Vallisoletum R: D: Gul: Fryer, 15 Sep.

Eodemq. an: Obiit Ill Dnus Laur<sup>s</sup> York Episcopus Nibiensis Vic. Apostol: in Districtu Occidentali; Ordinis fuerat S. Bend: et obiit in Collegio S. Gregorii Duaci.

[In margin.]

Hoc eodem anno 1770 mense Iunio die ut opinor 28 positus est lapis fundamentalis Refectorii et partis Orientalis Collegii: lapidem praecipuum nomine Celsissimi Ducis de Norfolciâ locavit Nobilis D: Joës: Belson Armigr. alium autem lapidem posuit minorem nomine suo.

1771 et 1772.

Duobus illis annis turbae quaedam excitabantur propter aliquas propositiones Metaphysicas de naturâ animarum, quas audaciùs propugnauerat Eruditissimus D. Josephus Berington Professor Philosophiae qui anno praecedente factus erat Sac: Theologiae Licentiat; paratus autem erat ille revocare si quid Theologi censurâ notandum judicaret, quod nunquam est factum, licet in ejus theses multi etiam ex nostris generatim inveherentur.

1773.

Annus, Si quis alius, posterorum memoriae tradendus ob Insignis Societatis Iesu insignem ubique dissolutionem Clem: 14<sup>th</sup> Breve Laetiferum *Dnūs ac Redemptor* datum est ad perpetuam rei memoriam 21 Julii anno quinto et proh dolor, poene ultimo Papae illius Dignissimi Pontificatūs, paucos enim quid si quindecim post menses modo adhuc nobis ignoto, est mortuus. *In pace sit locus ejus.*

*Eodem Anno 1773.*

[p. 341]. Die 15 Maii post morbum paucorum dierum raptus est, ut speramus, in coelum Vir omni doctrinarum genere notissimus, omni pietate sanctissimus R: D: Albanus Butler Praeses Coll: Audomarensis p. novem circiter annos. Ad ultimum usque morbum dies noctesq in legendo pariter et scribendo laboravit, praeter illud poene tempus quod in orando et in muneribus sui offiī vel potius officiorum obeundis impendit. Vicarius factus fuerat Generalis tribus non minus Episcopis dum Praesidis locum teneret. Perenne sui reliquit monumentum Vitas Sanctorum Collectas non è recentibus dumtaxat scriptoribus sed ex universis fere sive schedulis sive scriptis, sive libellis sive libris qui de illa materia extiterunt. Adjunxit haud diu ante mortem opus quidem Eruditum sed imperfectum de Festis Mobilibus et Vitam cujdam Monialis Sanctae et Piae [in Margin Mariae de Cruce] dederat etiam Criticem brevem in Vitas Summorum Pontif. scriptas ab Archibaldo Bower Apostatâ Jesuitâ.

*In Memoriam aeternâ erit Iustus.*



Die 1<sup>o</sup> Septembris Audomaropolim discessit R. D. Vice: Praeses Econ: Gul: Wilkinson, Praeses factus Coll: Anglorum illius Urbis.

Die 28 Oct ex Angliâ Reversus est R: D: Robertus Banister Officiis fungeretur Vice-Praesidis et Praefecti Studiorum: munus en Oeconomi fuerat collatum R: D: Gregorio Stapleton.

Semper erit celebris hic annus propter Dissolutionem et Suppressionem Patrum Societatis Iesu p. breve. *Dñs ac Redemptor* Datum a P: Clem XIV die 21 Iulii.

Mense Oct vi illius Brevis Bruges puls[un]t. Jesuitae Angli, et m[un]d Scholarium ad nos se receperunt.

1774.

Mense Aprili coepimus aedificare Pistrinum, horreum, et officinam Sutorum, quod quidem aedificium eo anno confectum finem impos laboribus et sumptibus aedificandi. Sumptus certè suppleverat mun[er]centia Virorum Nobilium Catholicorum et Episcoporum in Ang[li]a degentium. Summam Pecuniae recepinus ex illorum liberali donatio non minorem quatuor millibus Monetae Anglicanae, quam ad bonu[m] Religionis libenter contulerunt. Justia [*sic*] illorum manet in saeculu[m] saeculi.

Die 10 Maii Obiit Rex Christianissimus Ludovicus XV.

Die 3 Junii in Angliam rursus decessit R:D: Banister missus à R: D: Praeside ut fieret pax in Collegio quae per tempus aliquod fuerat turba per dissensiones inter ipsos Superiores; prudentiam R: D: Vice Praesidis aliqui desiderarunt, zelum omnes agnoverunt.

*Eodem Anno 1774.*

[p. 342]. Die 4<sup>to</sup> Sep: Obiit Madriti febris correptus Sapientissimus D. Philippus Perry Praeses Coll. Anglorū Vallisoleti. In ejus locum Vicariis Apos: in Anglia successit est R: D: Josephus Shepherd qui tu erat ibidem Vice-Praeses.

Die 22<sup>do</sup> Sep: summo omnium dolore nisi fortè Societatis quorunda[m] Amicorum, vivere desiit Summus Sanctissimus Clarissimusque Pontifex Clem: XIV. De causa illius mortis varii adhuc et incerti rumores.

Sub finem huj: anni rediit Parlamentum Duacum; fuerat etiam p[er] aliquod tempus expulsum sicut et alia Galliae Parliamenta.

1775.

Mense Feb: Pontifex Summus Electus est Cardinalis Braschi qui affinitatem suae familiae cum familia Ghisleri et ob suam devotione[m] erga S. Pium V Nomen assumpsit Pii VI. Litteris ad Nos Datis valè honoravit commendavitque Collegium hoc Suum; et cum hoc Anno propter Jubilaeum Ordinarium Anni Sancti suspendantur indulgentiae à Sede Apostolica concessae, nobis tamen benignè concessit propter suam erga nos benevolentiam ut in proximo festo S. Caroli Borromeae solitâ Indulgentiâ plenariâ communitas nostra fruatur.

Die 24 Dec: Pie Obiit Illus: D: Fran: Peters Episcopus Amoriensis fraterque Benjamini Episcopi Prusensis viginti ante annos defuncti, h[ic] in districtu Londinensi, ille in Septentrionali Vicarii Apostolici mune dignissime perfuncti sunt. Franciscus ob suavem morum affabilitate[m]

largamque in omnes egentes liberalitatem summum sui desiderium reliquit, non modo in comitatu Lancastriensi ubi degebat, sed apud cunctos ubique illi notos, etiam fide et moribus disjunctos.

*Requiescat in pace.*

Hoc mense grassatus est per totam fere Europam morbus quidam febrilis, qui tussi febrique incipiens per plures in singulis poene oppidis et vicis neci dedit. Nostrorum tam multi aegrotarunt ut per integram hebdomadam coacti simus studia intermittere. Gratias tamen plurimas Divinae bonitati ne unus quidem nostrum interit: partim vero vi morbi partim debilitate nervorum naturali Unus Gul: Gerrard Poeta aliquandiu post acceptum pie Viaticum impos mentis subito factus est, nec ullam nobis medici illius spem praebeuit sanitatis.

1776.

[p. 343]. Incipiente hoc anno mentis sanitatem aliquantum recuperavit Gul. Gerard, et post Pascha in Angliam rediit.

Hoc anno preces obtulimus Provinciae Procuratori ut pecuniam recuperaremus quam, plus quam centum libras monetae Ang: solveramus ad redimendum jus (ut aiunt) mortuae manûs (d'amortisement); sed multam intenterunt plus quam triginta millium monetae Gallicae, nempe ut minis nos terrerent quia, ut prae se tulerunt aedificii repraesentationem quandam magistratibus prout decuit non monstraveramus; tandem vero mense Julio decr[et]o edito a Procuratore Provinciae, nulla multâ impositâ, pecuniam quam solveramus totam a Regis Ministris retulimus; summo cum gaudio oppidi totius.

Die 3<sup>o</sup> Nov. invisit nos R. D. Hieronymus Allen\* Sacerdos Coll: Ulisiponensis, qui in illo doctrinae domicilio 19 annos Sac: Theologiam docuerat; apud nos hiemare statuit valetudinis recuperandae causâ.

1777.

Sabato praecedente Doñca Passionis sacrû Ordin[at]is Sacramentum nostris, coeterisque Magnae Britanniae subditis, paucisque alienis contulit in nostro sacello Illus: ac Revdsmus D: Bradey Epûs Ardaghensis in Hiberniâ, ex concessione Illsmi Atrabatensis Lud: Conziê. Commoratus est per aliquot menses in hac Dioecesi Illsmus D. Bradey et per totam dioecesim Sacramentum Confirma[ti]onis impertivit et in quatuor temporibus ultimum festum Nativitatis Dni N.I.C. praecedentibus in Ecclesia Parochiali S. Petri omnibus hujus Urbis ordinandis Ordinis Sacramentum dederat. Causa illius è sua Dioecesi absentiae fuit quia multorum malevolentiam in se excitaverat recusando assensum cuidam juramento fidelitatis a quibusdam è Clero etiam Episcopis Hiberniae proposito; illud certe juramentum licet dicatur a Sorbona, vel potius a Sorbonae Doctoribus singillatim, approbatum, Sedi tamen Apostolicae displicuit.

*Eodem Anno 1777.*

[p. 344]. Cito post Pascha in Angliam reversus est, et inde Ulisiponem se recepit ut iterum in Coll: Anglorum Sac: Theologiam doceret R. D: Allen, vir doctrinâ et pietate praestans.

x Hoc anno Praesidis Audomar: Coll: officium depositurus erat R.D: Wilkinson, et quidem in illud munus electus fuerat Erud: ac R.D:

\* See Kirk's *Historical Account of Lisbon College*, edited by Canon Croft, pp. 79, seq.



Arthurus Storey Sac: Theolg: Bacalaur: Paris: sed adhuc mense Decembri suo munere fungitur R. Dñs Wilkinson.

Hac mense Decembri vel praecedentis sub finem, rediit Gul: Gerard ad Collegium qui ob malā valetudinem coactus fuerat Angliam petere.

Hoc Anno missi sunt in messem Anglicanam octo Sacerdotes, praeter alium qui Audomaropolim delegatus est ut Praefecti Generalis officio fungatur in Coll: Ang: Regio.

N.B. Nomina degentium in Collegio, vel ab eo discedentium idem omittimus, quia videri possunt in Catalogo quem tenet Procurator.

x Die 20 Sep: in Angliā ex hac vita discessit Celsissimus Dux Norfolciae Edv: Howard Angliae Marechallus, qui vitae privatae integritate et pietate, beneficentiā et benignitate in omnes hominum ordines liberalitate in indigentes, munificentia in hoc Collegium, in quo quondam fuerat educatus, et in totum Clerum secularem profusā, thesaurizavi sibi thesaurum, ut speramus, non deficientem in coelis. Aliquot ante annos obierat Celsissima ejus conjux Christi bonus odor facta. Hinc cum nullos vir ille magnus (aetatis circa annum nonagesimum) libero reliquerit, illi in honores, dignitatem et rem familiarem successit Praenobilis Dñs Carolus Howard de Graystock qui quondam in hoc Coll studuit.

#### Anno 1778.

[p. 345]. Die 2 Maii, Regi Georgio 3<sup>to</sup> testimonium fidelitatis consensu unanimi praesentarunt Catholici Angli, suppliciter petentes alleviari aliquantum Leges poenales in eos latas. Testimonio subscripserunt Comites omnes Catholici et alii ex magis honestis familiis numero quasi ducenti; quibus adjuncti sunt unus Comes et alius Vir honestus ex Scotiā, qui eandem esse mentem Catholicorum Scotorum testati sunt. Haud multos post dies, quidam in Parlamento, coeteris omnibus approbantibus, moverunt, ut edictum fieret quod Catholicos suae Majestati subditos levaret. Latum est quamprimum tale edictum, et post solitas formas et consuetudines magno omnium applausu adhibitae, illud sua Majestas gratosē approbavit Junii die 3<sup>to</sup> Titulus hujus Edicti sic se habet.

An Act for relieving his Majesty's Subjects professing the Popish Religion, from certain penalties and disabilities imposed on them by an Act made in the eleventh and twelfth of the Reign of King William the 3<sup>d</sup> intituled, *an act for the further preventing the growth of Popery.*

Vetat autem Edictum 1<sup>o</sup> apprehensionem et prosecutionem Episcoporum et Presbyterorum, 2<sup>o</sup> incarcerationem Ludi-magistrorum; dat vero licentiam 1<sup>o</sup> accipiendi haereditates, 2<sup>o</sup> emendi quascunque possessiones, 3<sup>o</sup> fruendi jam possessis, quae sub lite non pendunt. Exigit tamen Edictum, ut priusquam aliquis eo fruatur beneficio, illi idem, si fuerit annos natus viginti unum et capax in Angliā degens intra sex menses proximos a lato edicto et tali conditione adeptus juramento fidelitatis se obstringat; neque viro Clerico sufficiet juramento se obligare postquam in ipsum prosecutio jam incepit.

Tenorem juramenti in futuram rei memoriam hoc loco exarabo.

*The Oath of Allegiance.*

[p. 346]. "I, A. B., do sincerely promise and swear that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to his Majesty King George the 3<sup>d</sup>, and him will defend to the utmost of my power, against all conspiracies and attempts whatever that shall be made against his person, crown and dignity; and I will do my utmost endeavour to disclose and make known to his Majesty, his heirs and successors, all treasons and traitorous conspiracies which may be formed against him or them; and I do faithfully promise to maintain support and defend to the utmost of my power the succession of the crown in his Majesty's family against any person or persons whatsoever; hereby utterly abjuring any obedience or allegiance unto the person taking upon himself the stile and title of Prince of Wales in the life-time of his Father and who since his death is said to have assum'd the stile and title of King of Great Britain by the name of Charles the 3<sup>d</sup>, and to any other person claiming or pretending a right to the crown of these Realms; I do swear that I do reject and detest as an unChristian and impious position, that it is lawful to murder or destroy any person or persons whatsoever, for or under pretence of their being Heretics, and also that unChristian and impious principle that no faith is to be kept with Hereticks; I further declare that it is no article of my faith, and that I do renounce reject and abjure the opinion that Princes excommunicated by the Pope and Council, or by any authority of the See of Rome or by any authority whatsoever may be deposed or murdered by their subjects, or any person whatsoever; and I do declare that I do not believe that the Pope of Rome or any other Prince, Prelate, State or Potentate hath or ought to have temporal or civil jurisdiction, power, superiority or preeminence directly or indirectly within this Realm. And I do solemnly in the presence of God profess, testify and declare, that I do make this declaration and every part [p. 347] thereof in the plain and ordinary sence of the words of this oath; without any evasion equivocation or mental reservation whatever, and without any dispensation already granted by the Pope or any authority of the See of Rome or any person whatever or without thinking that I am or can be acquitted before God or man or absolved of this declaration or any part thereof altho the Pope or any other persons or authority whatsoever shall dispense with or annul the same, or declare that it was null or void."

Praedictum vero Edictum adhuc tantam [*sic*] extenditur ad Anglos; quamvis speretur Catholicos Scotos eodem beneficio citò potituros. Quod spectat ad Catholicos Hibernos, majoribus adhuc subsunt difficultatibus propter ipsorum Parlamentum quodammodo independens et causae Catholicae valde adversum; sed testamento et iuramento fidelitatis eundem cum Anglis amorem in patriam declararunt. Immo cum iugo graviore premantur, citius quam Angli poenis mitigandis studuerunt; nec verò adhuc quod optant sunt adepti. Faxit tamen Deus, qui habet cor Regis in manu sua, et quocunque voluerit inclinare potest illud, ut non tantum quibus Angli legum relaxationibus perfruantur Catholici Hiberni, sed ut omnes, Deo volente, a poenis



quibuscunq. ob Religionem Catholicam infligendis liberemur; quod sanè spe magna pleni expectamus. Interim Deo Opt: Max: et Regis, totiusque Nationis Anglicanae clementiae gratias quam plurimas agimus, pro illorum in nos Peccatores qualicunque indulgentiâ.

### END OF THE SEVENTH DOUAY DIARY.

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In nomine Dni Amen.

J.M.J. S.T.\*

#### ADVICE TO A PRESIDENT OF D[OUAY] C[OLLEGE].

[p. 368]. After ten years experience in the troublesome office, I may in some measure be allow'd to say, *Experto crede Roberto*. And the reason why I presume to mark down some points of advice to my successor, is because I have often wish'd that my predecessors had left me some admonitions, which I persuade myself would have been of no small use and advantage to me and those under my care.

1st. To begin with what have been my own failings. He must take heed least by too familiar and too light a carriage, even towards the seniors, professors and divines, he may any ways lessen his authority and the esteem they otherwise would have for him. T'was indeed many times my thought, when this burthen was laid on my shoulders, *Rectorem te posuerunt, noli extolli, sed esto in illis quasi unus ex illis*: the first part is clear, without exception, nor lyable to any misconstruction, but the 2<sup>d</sup> part must be taken *cum grano salis*, and practised with judgment and discretion, avoiding the two extrems, of being excessively grave, too starch'd and reserv'd, a fault wch in the character given by a friend of my predecessor, he's taken notice to have slipt into, by imitating the superiors of some French seminaries, and a too free, too gay and jesting a temper, wch on the other side I believe I have fallen into, whether by a natural defect or as tis said, *dum vitant stulti vitia, in contraria currunt*, especially since I have done this with such rubs and reflections, as persons have not been well able to bear, and many times with too much heat in reasoning and disputing the case, when I thought others in the wrong, of wch I have often repented myself, resolv'd to be more cautious, and partly perhaps by experience corrected my self. *Eutrapelia* according to St. Thomas is a virtue, but requires prudence and discretion in its practice, otherwise may degenerate into satire, the circumstances of persons, time, place, and their dispositions must be duly weighed.

2d<sup>ly</sup> no persons are perhaps harder to be govern'd and managed than those that are brought up to scholarship and learning, they are apt to be high and touchy, to think themselves sufficiently wise in every thing, when in many things, wch can only be learnt by experience, and by

\* The initials stand for the Holy Family and St. Thomas, Patron of the College.

knowledge of men as well as books, they may be much otherwise, not to use the saying, that a mere scholar is a mere ignoramus. The conceit they are apt to have of their own sufficiency, makes them even in offices they are unacquainted with, take no advice and run into inconveniences, wch may be of ill consequence both to the house and themselves, if there be a want of a docil spirit; I have wonder'd to hear and see that even some of those promoted to be seniors and masters here, have express'd themselves in so slighting a manner of persons that have had experience in the mission and come from it, as if thereby they had less judgment than before they were sent, or than those who had never liv'd anywhere but in a Colledge. Everyone that has had experience and conversation with men, and not with books and boys only, is convinced that it were to be wish'd, not only that the president but that all the seniors who have offices, of Gen-Pref, Procurator etc. had been first on the Mission, and learnt by experience many things, wch otherwise they are ignorant of, and yet know it not.

[p. 367]. 3 The president must remember that his care, concern, kindness, and assistance must be of equal extent with the authority God has given him, that it must be extended from the Vice-president to the lowest student in the lowest school, nay, even to the domesticks and servants. When he may observe in the seniors and other cap men a want of experience and mistaken notions, wch may more or less expose them to inconveniences, unless rectify'd, he must endeavour by reasoning to set them at rights, and sometimes by reasoning *opportune importuni, argue, obsecra, increpa etc.* He is wanting to his duty as superior, if he permits any of them without a seasonable admonition, to go on in mistakes wch are faults or failings in the sight of God, such for example is idleness and a loss of time in an Ecclesiastick; is frequent drinking, tho' to no excess; is making of separate parties, and declining with affectation the company of any one, since we must certainly endeavour as much as possible to be *cor unum et anima una*; particular friendships, unless merely grounded on virtue, in any family, are an obstacle to that common charity and union. The president must give leave and even encourage all engaged in the vocation of the mission; to speak freely to him in any difficulty that may occur. He must have an eye to the wants they may be under in any kind, and relieve them as well as it is in his power, without distinction of persons, gentlemen or otherwise, wch tis very impertinent for any one to reflect upon. Virtue and an exact compliance with our dutys, especially joyn'd with learning, are the chief recommendations, he must have a regard to. What were the Apostles? and the being a minister of God makes everyone equal or above the condition of being born a gentleman.

As to the students he must examin how every one carrys himself first in regard of his devotions and the service of God, the frequenting of the Sacraments, 2dly as to his studies and progress in learning, with an eye upon their carriage and keeping themselves clean, wch the Gen: prefect should have a strict eye over. 3ly The president must give an account of them to their parents and must also take care to make them write.



As to the servants, the Presid<sup>t</sup> and Gen. prefect must have an eye to their behavior, especially as to what regards their serving God by hearing mass, going to the sacraments, coming home in good time etc.

4. The president may assure himself that his example will be more effectual than his words and admonitions and all his preaching, particularly as to make others exact in the observance of the rules and discipline of the Colledge. And tho' the President by particular business, age or indispositions or company, may be hindred from being present at every duty, yet he may assure himself, others will give very small allowance to his particular station or circumstances, and tho' they have no just plea at all, will exempt themselves no less but perhaps more than he. This is not reasonable, but this will follow.

5. The president must be very vigilant least by degrees the discipline of the house fail and decay by a change to the worst. Upon the granting permitting or overlooking things once or twice, they presently cry custome, and then to reduce things to their form[er] state or exactness, is like a reformation and much harder then to resist the first beginnings. A superior whether the chief of the house, or any other, is very much to blame for permitting and giving any occasion to the introducing of new customes, contrary to the rules or to the former more exact practice. And yet these will be apt to creep in without the knowledge of the president, as might be specifd in divers instances, of persons eating out of the refectory especially their breakfasts, when none shoud do it but the president, or at least without express leave from the president, of Seniors going to dine or sup in Town, or to lye out at La Croix without the leave of the president wch on such occasions they ought expressly to ask, nor is it sufficient that the president know of it, or that they talked of it before him. M<sup>r</sup> Dicconson when Vicep. never went so much as to dine in Town but he [p. 366] came to my chamber with "I desire Sr you'l let me dine with such a one."

Mr. Brockholes was allways very exact with coming to me and saying "if you please I desire to go to La Croix about such a business"; and tis clearly express'd in these words of the Constitution of the Colledge, de disciplina c. 5. num 7. *Multò minùs cuiquam licet ullam aliam domum adire comedendi atq. compotandi gratiâ absq. expresso praesidis vel vicep. consensu, quam non dabunt nisi speciali aliqua causa interveniente.* Thus the philosophers were introducing a custome of studying together at the priests fires without the knowledge of the Presid<sup>t</sup> or prefect of the studies wch shou'd not be allow'd. The philosophers after defensions of Universalls and before S. Remigius of playing as they pleased with divines at bowls etc. Thus again the Masters of humanity, notwithstanding the frequent protestations of Dr. Paston and of myself, and expressly against the rules make it their custome not to go to their schools neither in the morning after breakfast, nor even after 2 o'clock in the afternoon till after or at the quarter. The custome for the divines to expound on Sundays an article of the Catechism of the Council of Trent, was so intermitted that I very well remember some of them deny'd to me it was in the rules, tho' expressly prescribed c. 3 de studiis num 5.

N.B. that the rule c 1. num 5. of swearing to live *sub Obedientia Sum. Pont et quod unusquisq. promittat sub juramento, quod nihilaget aut molietur sponte aut de industria . . . . quod ad pacem Collegii perturbationam pertineat* I have allways omitted by reason of the exceptions and complaints made against this rule by priests and gentlemen in England, as I myself have been present and heard them before I was president.

N.B. 2. That in the Constitutions c 2 num 7 is prescribed *singulis hebdomadis dominicâ vel festo aliquo interveniente, habeatur mane explicatio Catechismi vel Evangelii*. This I remember practiced by B. Smith and some time by Dr. Paston afterwards the same Dr. Paston got first Dr. Hawarden and afterwards me to do it, the professors priests and divines coming thither and all above Syntax, and in the Logicians school some priest appointed by the president used first to hear and examine those under poetry their Catechism wch is now done in the study place, and then make a short exhortation. But that *explicatio Catechismi aut Evangelii* was changed into a prone every Sunday at high Mass, wch I when master of philosophy, with the other master Mr. Ralph Crathorn made by our turns. After this the duty was appropriated to the prefect of the Study place as Concionator Collegii, but by degrees was lessen'd to once a month only that besides some times the president and Vicep. preach'd and in Lent and Advent some of the priests, who by a rule c 3. num 5 *Sacerdotes vero in Ecclesia conciones habebunt ex numero ex arbitrio praesidis singulis praescribendo*.

N.B. 3. that c 3. num. 7 tis also thus ordain'd *Consuetâ quoque jejunia feriae 6tae, vigiliarum B.M. etc. religiose servent*, that is according to the custome of England, I must confess that by reason this is not observ'd in other religious English houses, by reason also that persons here even tho' advanced in schools are young, I have been more indulgent than my predecessors in remitting or dispensing with this rule in regard of all under divinity, leaving it to themselves and they never fasting on those days, but have still observ'd it as to the seniors professors and divines. In Lent time also being left to their own devotion, wch was but cold, very few began to fast till I have been forced to order the prefect to keep all but those that [are] very young little or weak to at least 2 days a week in Lent and to the vigils of the chief feasts of the year.

N.B. 4<sup>to</sup> that the rule c 3 num 4. *Ex his quae ad casus et controversias spectant in certas portiones pro temporis commoditate distributa Scholares privatim perlegent, et in frequenti examine ad Superioris arbitrium instituendo, suae hac in re diligentiae rationem reddent*. This rule I have never yet known put in execution as to this 2d part of being call'd to an examen about cases and controversies tho' to be wish'd and may be done when the president thinks fit. The following rule *curandum est ut in scripturis sacris non perfunctorie erudiantur* has been partly supply'd by this method. On Sunday after high Mass [p. 365] the priests and divines are examind in the literal sense of 2 at least Chapters of the new Testament, wch this last year has run through to the 2 Epistles to the Corinthians, to the Galatians to the Ephesians and Philippians, and



every third Sunday they have by turns spoke upon some article of the Catech. ad Parochos.

N.B. 5 As to the rule c 3. num 8. concerning the masters of philosophy viz. *Tempore autem quod inter postremum philosoph: actum et longiorem vacationē intercedit nulla de Angelis ac divinis attributis breviter attingent vel aliquid ad moralem spectans etc.* This rule by some masters has not been well comply'd with 2 or 3 scholars only being left, nay some have pleaded custome would do nothing with them, others been absent at this time. How ever care ought allways to be taken that this rule be either literally comply'd with or, that such scholars be profitably employ'd either by writing and learning something in the divines school or some other way.

N.B. 6. In the schools of Humanity notwithstanding the exhortations both of the President and Prefect of the Studies made to the masters, they have of late years being failing as to bringing up two orations and two poems by all their scholars, differring both to the end of the year, and some scholars bringing up but one so that they have deserved to forfeit the dinner and play day given them on this account. The masters also of Syntax and Grammar very dilatory in making their scholars recite some thing or answer one another in the Refectory as ordered. In general the study of greek has not been well follow'd in most schools of humanity especially after they come to poetry. There have not been wanting exhortations from the Presid<sup>t</sup> and prefect of the studies but they have not prevaild thereby. Nay the students after they come to poetry having not had that laudable emulation as formerly nor study'd so well, and some at the examens before the president Prefect of the Studies and the masters, have deserv'd to be penanc'd rather than to have recreation on the account of their examen in wch their negligence nor diligence has appear'd. It's well if this may not partly be attributed to the masters as well as to the scholars, in like manner may be attributed their negligence in speaking latin, wch if the masters took care and penanced them as they ought would certainly be better comply'd with. The considerable negligence of humanists in any point may be conveniently punish'd by sending them back into the study place, or if a school be found to answer very ill at a publick examen as lately, the president may very well according to the rule c 4 num 8 not let any of that school go out till the next examen nor to the end of Rhetorick without a prefect.

N.B. 7. The president as well as prefect must take care according to the rule c 4 num 7 *ne computationes nimium frequentes sint*, that is in the Refectory even with leave and tho' they do not exceed the quantity that may be allow'd wch is to none above a pint, to the philosophers and great boys a bottle among three and to the little ones only a bottle among 4. This custome of allowing them to buy wine in the refectory when it was permitted by Dr. Paston I know not, there was nothing of it in my time, nor when I went to the mission. To take this liberty quite away would now cause great murmuring, but I doubt whether it had not been better never permitted: and now the prefect, as I have

told him, ought not to permit it more than once a fourthnight, to hinder students from it by way of a penance, and to be carefull least any of them get an ill habit of loving drink. The president would do well as I have done some times, to look over the butlers books at the end of every month to prescribe the Butler rules in order to prevent abuses and inconveniences. As I have forbidd long ago all 2d tables for anyone at night, all drinking at or after suppers, [p. 364] or wine being sold to anyone after Litanies, or to be drank in Chambers, and this must be carefully look'd into. As also great care taken least the Students drink in Town when they have leave out and that they be severely without mercy punish'd when the least excess can be discovered, great care taken against their drinking or bringing in brandy or what they call rosalie, as the prefect has taken great care and been more cunning than perhaps all other prefects have or could be.

N.B. 8. Tho' one or two have been permitted in Dr. Pastons and my time to have a 2d portion at meals paying for it, tho' when it began I know not, yet it seems very inconvenient and never to be permitted to anyone whatsoever here after. They had better be allow'd if necessary to buy of the prefect of the kitchen a 2d portion, after the first table is ended and there eat it. The rule c 4. num 10. of the students putting off their hats to priests and divines, and their care not to be too familiar with them I apprehend has not been well comply'd with.

N.B. 9. C.5 num. 4. I have not put in execution but shall hereafter the necessary admonition, *admoneantur ordinandi etc., ut humilitate sua magis etiam coeteris praeuiceant; idq. promittant se facturos cum superioris licentiam atq. benedictionem accipiant ut initientur* num 5 sequenti an examen is prescribed of those who are to be sent to the mission. It has not been the custome to examin such as have been seniors but only others, as it should be done. And to what follows.

N.B. 10. that whereas c 5 num. 5 'tis prescribed that faculties be given to those that go to the mission when found fit, after an oath of obedience to his Bishop in England, *quod si inidoneus repertus fuerit, vel ejusmodi recusaverit juramentum illi facultates non concedantur*. I was publickly told by one that he would sooner desire no faculties than take that oath wch I believe was the reason that the next priest there present when this was said made a difficulty of taking this oath, but when I reason'd with him about it, took it. Now as to taking the oath tis expressed orderd in the rule, nor do I see any difficulty being only such a *Canonical obedience* as every priest when ordain'd promises to his Bishop or Regular superior, unless that is a promiss and this a promisory Oath, but do's not a promise also oblige pro qualitate materiae? what then if he not only promise sub promiss, it [*perhaps for* but] also under oath. But the doubt and difficulty may be this. To what purpose do's the president of this Colledge now give those faculties wch are null of no force, since this power is taken from him and the power of giving faculties in England reserved to the Vicars Apostolick only, for this reason Dr Paston is said for many years to have left of giving faculties.

To this all I can say is that tis certain or seems certain to me, tho'



some have question'd it lately in England that the President here can give no faculties that can be exercised even validly till confirm'd and approved by the Bishops and Vicars Apostolick. 2<sup>dly</sup> these rules notwithstanding of ours were made and confirmed 4 years after there was a Vicar Apostolick in England, nay after England was divided into 4 districts as at present viz. an 1689. the districts regulated an 1688 and Bishop Leyburn sent vicar to England an 1685. The old rules order'd this promiss of obedience to be made to the Archpriest in the confirmation of these rules is put in *Episcopo ipsi pro tempore praeposito* by this it seems an order of Rome by wch these faculties must be still given by the president wch tho' not of force, serve at least as a recommendation of the persons habilities and as testimonials from the president, and besides need only confirmation from the vicars Apostolick, [p. 363] for 3<sup>dly</sup> as it may be said the religious priests sent to the Mission, or even presented any where to an ordinary have truly their faculties from their Regular superior wch yet are of no force, but null till confirmed and approved by the Bishops or their Vicars General, so in like manner is not taken from the president the power he formerly had of giving faculties but tis declared that these faculties cannot even validly be exercised unless approved and confirm'd by the authority of the Vicars Apostolick.

4 Some go farther by what I can understand from England and say that by the Brev. of Innoc. the 12 wch made all Regulars in England subject to the Bishops is only declared, *cessare et cessasse omnem jurisdictionem Capitulorum tam Saecularium quam regularium etc.*, but that as for faculties formerly validly given by the president of Douay Colledge or such like superiors, they being not included in the foregoing words nor expressly excepted, that by consequence they subsist valid as formerly. But I think this is not to be rely'd upon, as I believe no one since we had Bishops ever acted merely upon the presidents grant of faculties. I have not indeed the decree to see the rest but I am confident the presidents faculties here are of no value, till approved by the Bishops as to their respective districts, and so answer'd me monseignr Spinelli the Inter-nuncie of Bruxelles lately this year 1725. I hear orders are sent from Rome to forbid priests to change from one district to another and orders to the Bishops to examin and have a just regard to the recommendations particularly given by the president of Douay Colledge to those he sends to England, I have not seen either of these orders, but I shall consult the Congreg. about the presidents given faculties and whether he ought to continue the custome, and shoud not dare to give the form of faculties nor a testimonial recommendation to anyone that should refuse that promisory oath of obedience to his Bishop.

These 10 observations I have made by casting an eye of [on] our Constitutions. To proceed as before in a kind of advice.

6<sup>thly</sup> The president should have keys of each place in and about the Colledge, in my opinion, even of every seniors rooms and closets, wch certainly he can go into, if he thinks fit, and one reason of this is, for fear of any person being on a sudden disabled or dead in his chamber or closet when no one can get in tho' he be missed, and sometimes might be

reliev'd in time. I remember very well that D<sup>r</sup> Paston on a certain occasion searched the rooms of some seniors as well as professors. Tis also certain that not only the president but also the prefect of the studies must have keys of the rooms and of all the closets of the priests and professors, and by the rules he's to go to search for books there. He cannot do so in seniors rooms and closets but he's [to] demand them *jussu et nomine praesidis*.

7. Tis certain the President is to have an eye and look how all the offices in the house as well as the rules are perform'd, especially when persons are put into offices without experience, yet like persons bred in Colledges, are no ways sensible that they want it. He must therefore not think it below him to look sometimes how every thing belonging to the Colledge is managed to advantage, to admonish others when he sees any thing amiss.

8. He should also examine not only how the cap-men, as they are call'd, behave themselves, but how every student to the lowest in figures carry themselves, by asking the prefect General and the prefect of the study place, whether they give marks of piety and devotion and of the masters sometimes by turns an account of everyone of their scholars of their capacity and diligence, as by their parents and friends they are for such ends put under [p. 362] and confided to his care, and parents with good reason expect from him by letters an account of their childrens improvement. This is both a duty and a great trouble annexed to the office of president and must be comply'd with.

9. The president must look into the account books and the accounts of the house, nor do I see how he can sign every month as he ought to do the receipts and disbursements without also looking over the particular book of accounts wch make so great a part of the monthly expenses, and wch are only mark'd in the account book in general, not in particular, and yet are signed by him as exact and just together with the accounts of the house. Who can sign to be right what he does not see nor examin? This indeed was the custome and so overlook'd and neglected by me, till upon a better reflection, I consider'd it was not right and so from that time have look'd into the book of accounts of particulars. He must also examine the quarterly accounts of the London Procurator, once a year the accounts of the procurator at Rome and consider from time to time what is in his hands, and should also see every half year the accounts of the procurator at Paris, as Mr. Brocholes used to bring the book every half year to him, nor would Mr. Lutton or Mr. Green be satisfy'd unless they sent every half year their receipts and disbursements to him and had them sign'd by him. Indeed by the rules of the Colledge he is to signe acquittances or the procurator by his order in his name; and therefore Mr. Dicconson when procurator had a procuration sign'd by the president to empower him to sign in the presidents name. These things are not well observ'd, and procurators may be apt to think it a diffidence and distrust in the president to look so particularly into all accounts, wch must not hindring him from doing it. And he must also have a care lest the tablers be permitted to spend too much in what is



called their pocket money and private expenses, wch has caused of late divers complaints, as it must be apt to do, since no such expenses may be allow'd at S. Omers or in other Colleges, and on this account parents may think I can maintain my children for less in other places.

10. The president must take care what is done as to the farms and Lordships belonging to the house; that all these be managed to advantage and nothing spent in suites of Law or any other way without necessity or a just cause. I once look'd as well as I could into those purchases, the charges we had been at in building in suites, and the disbursements certainly hitherto far exceed the receipts. Yet we maintain by the rents of them 6 students, viz. L. Montag 3. Dorm 1. Salvin 1. Midford 1. Lordships and Seigneuries in this Country are always lyable to contestation and suites wch run away with the greatest profit. And it had been much better for us to have bought land without Lordships being strangers in the country, very apt to be cheated and of small interest we have there 3 rich Abbays to contend with, viz. Flines, Bourbourge, and Marquet, all women who are led by their hommes d'affaires and bailiffs who gain by the suits and proces's. I have thought often viewing the cense or farm of La Croix, that it might turn to much better account if we had it in our hands, I have some small notion of country-affairs having lived so long in the country, we might have there out of those large broad hedges and little woods every year I believe 5 or 6000 faggots [p. 361] and there's no small advantage besides to be made of a great number of old trees. The wheat would go near to serve the Colledge, Besides barley or soucrion\* for brewing oats pease and beans to be sold and to answer the taxes and persons to be maintain'd that look to it. The meddows and prairies for a dairy, for feeding beeves and sometimes the advantage of calves, a considerable flock of sheep, besides hoggs poultreys a greater advantage than at present from the pigeon coat with that of orchard, turnips potatoes etc. There is tis true the danger of being cheated by servants, a considerable expense as to their wages, wch would be lessend by letting them keep some cows or hogs for themselves. The greatest expense would be in buying horses ploughs carts and ye rest necessary and a stock of cows and sheep, yet if we had a faithful steward and a procurator some what experienced I am persuaded it would turn to a good advantage and especially those years when corn happens to be dear.

11. The president must take care of disorders or abuses by giving the Capmen leave to go and divert themselves and to stay some days at La Croix. They can have no other allowances as to meat and drink than if they were at home in the Colledge. The president I think shou'd take care not to let persons go too frequently there, wch the professors and divines may sometimes have an inclination to. Here is to be observed a rule Cap 4 num 8. *raro concedendum est*. And in regard of divines or especially students, if for health or upon any account they be permitted to go thither, *semper in comitatu habeant virum aliquem gravem, quo praesente superiores securi sint etc.*

12. No doubt but the president must be watchfull least any of the masters of divinity or philosophy advance any new or singular opinions

\* Sucrion (soucrillion, escourgeon), winter barley.—E.N.

either as to morality or grace, wch may the least favour the Jansenists and Quenellists; and that as it is prescribed by the rules they adhere to the Scholastick opinions of the Thomists. He must also be attentive least any one in the house by their discours favour these or any heretical and erroneous or new opinions. Tis strange that when we have chang'd no point at all of our Thomistical doctrine, when we have in all the opinions that divide the Scholasticks, opposed the Molinists as much as any Thomists whatsoever, yet some of our BB, especially in the north of England have call'd me and others Jesuits, favourers of the Jesuits, making way for the Jesuits, when tis certain we have by sticking close to the Constitution (and that by a principle of conscience) taken the most secure and effectual means to keep out the Jesuits and to be out of all danger from their attempts. And if all our BB' in England and the gentlemen directed by them, had shew'd themselves of the same principles and of the like zeal for the constitution, and not broke upon occasions into some unlawful as well as indiscreet expressions, with perhaps some reflections on the papal authority, our interest would not be at so low an ebb as it seems at present, nor we in danger of not obtaining one of our own clergy to succeed my Broth. in the North. Tis well known what reason we have to be cautious.

13. The president must make it his endeavour for the good of the house, to keep a good correspondence 1st with out chief masters and protectors at Rome, 2dly with the Bishòps and the missioners, and no less with the nobility and gentry in England. 3dly with the Internunce at Bruxelles, 4tly with the Superior of the Seminary at Paris and with the confessors and Abbesses or superiors of English monasteries under our direction. 5. to give no offence to any of the Regulars, to be civil to them tho' without any grand familiarity, and through brotherly love and charity and civility to be willing to do any service to any one of them, to be cautious and make others here cautious, not to pass censures [p. 360] nor any uncharitable uncivil or unhandsome reflections upon any of them and much less against a whole order or community.

14. And to descend somewhat more to particulars as to the aforesaid points. The president by himself or by the procurator at Rome compliments the new Pope, tis what I have found done by Dr. Gage and what I have done, taking an occasion to give them an account of this first and mother house, and by the number of martyrs and missioners the fruits and effects of the liberality of the See Apostolick. I have found it necessary to write upon divers occurrences letters to the Protector and to the Propag. and also to his majesty there with whom must likewise be kept a good intelligence by making our zeal known to him. A constant correspondence must be kept with his minister, who has a particular care of the affairs of our English mission, the Internunce of Bruxelles. I have sometimes thought a correspondence also necessary or at least to be wish'd for, with the Nunce of Paris (Douay being under him in as much as it is in the French dominions) yet I have never made any application to him on any account whatsoever, nor desir'd others there to do it, as it might be proper to do, had we any one at Paris whose access might be gratfull to him and keep him in a good opinion of us.



15. Tis certain tis the advantage of the Colledge both as to number of tablers and donations that the Bishops and chief of our Breth. and also that the gentry have a good opinion of the president here and of his management and care of the tablers under his care, that they be persuaded he has an eye over them that they want for nothing. Tis a misfortune (and has been mine) when upon any account whatsoever either our Bishops or our Breth. have any complaints or prejudices against the president, yet certainly our BB are very imprudent when they make their complaints (whether just or not) table talk before gentlemen and Ladys, for not only *charitas operit multitudinem peccatorum*, but discretion shou'd rather make them support him and his reputation for the good of the Colledge whilst he is in that office. I do not blame them for any endeavors they might make to lend him a helping hand to lift him out of his office, but till he is out, prudence and common sense might have guided or at least moderated their tongues. And to touch upon the occasions, besides some frivolous and groundless calumnies against me and others from the spleen or peek of a brother or 2, the two grand objections have been that I have ruin'd the Seminary of Paris, and 2dly that I am Jesuitically affected, have introduced Jesuits doctrine. As to the first of these, see what is writt in my Journal in the other part of this book and particularly at the end of 1722 and the beginning of 1723: And as to the 2d, every one that knows me, or our theses and doctrine here, sees tis frivolous to the utmost degree. I believe not one of my predecessors could for any number of years avoid the displeasure of part of our Body. I grant the outcry and displeasure against me on the account of what regards the Seminary at Paris, was every where general. I have given an account of it elsewhere. The greatest part was upon false imaginations and misrepresentations, and as for all that was true and that I did, my judgment and conscience to this day tells me I did nothing but what was to be done, tho' I might have taken methods to have avoided a great part of the odiū and stories rais'd. I wish I had profitted more from this and all other humiliations. The worst effect, or seeming consequence is, that this and especially the indiscretion of our BB in making it the subject of their discours, has seem'd to lessen the contributions that otherwise the house might have had, particularly when after mature deliberation and advice taken of [p. 359] those who were best able to give advice, I undertook a building that has cost in building and furnishing above 80000 florins, but I must in gratitude to our Benefactors add some remarks, that besides a 1000<sup>lb</sup> given by B. Giffard (*cujus memoria semper in benedictione erit* and ought to be to all of this Colledge) others whose names may be seen among the Benefactors, have allready contibuted 1058<sup>lb</sup> 05<sup>sh</sup>. The exchange from England was extraordinary good for part of it, especially B. Giffards 1000<sup>lb</sup> made 2500<sup>fl</sup>. Mr. Thom. Giff. 500<sup>lb</sup> was in a manner lost, being returned to Paris at the time of the actions, our returns from Rome being as high in proportion as those from England, enabled us very much to carry on the building. The great burthen we charged ourselves with, tho' not without the advice of Mr. Giff. and others in England, was a life rent of 200<sup>lb</sup> per an. to Lord Rivers for 2000<sup>lb</sup> wch

was return'd when it made above double, that is came to about 50,000<sup>flor</sup> and that with B. Giffards and the others (not counting Mr. Thom. Giffards 500 nor the advantages of the Roman change) comes to more than all the building has cost us. I laid out of my own money about a 1000<sup>flor</sup> on the new divines school and the presidents apartment. I must take notice that besides Ld Rivers sum taken up upon the afore-said life rent, I am persuaded never so much was contributed and given upon any exigence that the Colledge was in, yet much more might have been hoped for, had it not been for the particular circumstances of the Catholicks in general, and of our friends in England for not to mention that the outcries and complaints against me, might stop the hands of some that were going to open their purse strings, tho' I am much inclined to think it rather served for an excuse; if it was not, let them do it when I am dead and gone. The chief reasons of less contributions was Registring act that still frighted them especially joyn'd with the 100,000<sup>lb</sup> tax at that very juncture of our building. Tis said some will still give us some thing considerable. What frightes the most timide among us is the life rent to Ld Rivers, that hitherto has been exactly paid and we have as much reason to hope to be able to pay it hereafter, for tho we have paid it, we have not incurr'd any debts by taking up any other money, and yet we have had and have now the best part of a 1000<sup>lb</sup> sterl. in the hands of our Procurator at Rome London etc. The case was different with me and Mr Brocholes when I came to be president and when our debts were above 40,000 flor. wch as the change was then was very near 4000<sup>lb</sup>. Besides to say no more on this long article, the building seem'd necessary and could not be better timed, the change was above double what it should be or commonly is, two thou<sup>sd</sup> pd sterl. instead of making 20000 flo. or 24000, made 50,000 so that if we pay 200<sup>lb</sup> to L. Riv. for 2000<sup>lb</sup>, it was at least for what to us by the change was better than 4000.

16 Since I have ventur'd on this advice to the president I may make bold to add also some advice to others under him. It seems to me as if the Vicepresid.

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either modestly dissembles the power and authority wch our Constitutions expressly give him or at least that others do not know or do not attend to the power given him. Tis he that c.6 num. 1. is *invigilare observationi Constitutionum totius Collegii*, tis he (num 2) that is *invigilare moribus et pietati omnium*, .*omnes in officio continere, unumquemq monere sui officii* (num 3) *Procuratorem monere ut quam opportune fiant rerum necessariorum provisiones*, a very important and necessary rule. *Et in absentia praesidis* (num 9) he has *omnem ejus potestatem etiam in Seniores, poteritq. jubere quaecunq. ille jubet etc.*

17. In our Constitutions follows (c 7) the office of the *prefect of Studies*, and by what is there prescribed, I judge his office as an office abstracting from the

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time of being longer a Senior, to be either above or [p. 358] equal to that of the masters of divinity, since he's orderd to go to their schools and see *si omnia cum fructu et methodo peragantur*. And num 5 *examinet approbetq. omnes Theses Theologicas etc.* num 6. *vocet Theologos ad*



*examen coram praeside et magistris.* 'Tis certain this office comprises enough to keep anyone thoroughly and profitably employd, and if we could afford such a one a maintenance and a salary, we ought never to want a prefect [of] studies that has nothing else to do. A fund is much wanted for that office.

18. The masters of divinity are certainly at least the next, and as tis our custome are to take place of all the other seniors, tho' perhaps they have not been so long seniors as they, I would by all means to have the masters of divinity at least Licentiats of divinity in this University where tis hard enough and where the tryal for Doctorship at least is very severe. We had a number of graduates heretofore in this Colledge and this University, and I had an order a few years ago with permission from the protector to apply 60 Rom. crowns every year to the taking degrees, and have a design of obtaining full as ample a leave or order. I observ'd before how carefull all these masters must be to follow Thomistical doctrine as prescribed both to them and the masters of philosophy in our Constitutions and to avoid any singular or suspected opinions in any manner favouring the Jansenists, as by the by I take that opinion wch denies the church to be infallible in doctrinal facts that is judging *quis sit sensus propositionis aut libri* to open a gap as to the defending of any book condemn'd even for heresie as well as propositions out of it in like manner condemn'd and he that considers it will see this dangerous consequence upon wch the Jansenists have been obstinate in defending Jansenius. I must needs say I look upon by what I have seen and read myself Blackloes books to contain the same and other errors. Both the masters of philosophy and divinity must remember they must continue to teach and go to school with their scholars till their respective vacation days.

19. Upon the office of the General prefect depends in a great measure the order and discipline of the Colledge, and therefore tis with good reason said, *viro prudenti demandetur* c 4 num. 3. It must be observed and the admonition, sometimes repeated by the president, that by his office the divines are subject to him, even so as to be penanced by him, *prius consulto praeside vel only vicepraeside*, c 8 num 4. He must by no means let anyone speak to him with disrespect or impudence, and dos not discharge his duty, unless he be severe upon this fault, wch would be attended with very ill consequences, and must acquaint the president, if he finds it any ways necessary. Let him be pleased to take notice of his rule (num 6) *ut omnia conserventur nitida et illaesa*, and to let nothing be changed *nihil sine sua approbatione immutari permittat*. Tis he that is to send for by his own authority workmen where necessary, (Ibidem) *Si quid sit quod artificum operâ indigeat, ipsemet eos accersat, et expensi rationē ad procuratorem deferat*. He mistakes therefore, as he should take notice, if he speaks to the procurator to get any thing where his authority reacheth, but he must order it himself, and get it done and the procurator is to pay for it. Let him also take notice of his following rules, that in refectorio (num 7) *omnia sint quam mundissima* that the

scholars come into it and go out *modeste et ordinatè* that it be shut and swept after meals, nor shoud there be any great [p. 357] noise at breakfast, tho' they may be permitted to speak softly. I remember very well a certain prefect, and one who was taken notice to be scrupulous about his office, that used to say it walking in the refectory in breakfast time. I scarce believe of late any prefect could do it, especially for the loud noise the Divines often make. Every prefect must take care, as in the rules to keep the scholars out of the buttry, kitchen and other office-houses; that they do not play nor make a noise in that part of the Ambulacrum next to the great door, nor near the church, nor such an intolerable noise as they are sometimes used to do at their common fires, that they do not tear their cloths nor be dirty or ragged, but make them get their cloths mended upon the first breach, otherwise not to let them come into the Refectory nor without their collar and band as never used to be permitted. The prefect and other persons in all offices must take very great care not to let any new abuse or custome that tends to a less exact discipline creep in, as without a vigilant care there is allways danger, and presently they'l claim custome especially unless the contrary be clearly expressly in the Rules of the Colledge. By this a prefect too indulgent do's more harm than he is aware off. He must keep those students that are alumni under the same discipline as their school fellows the tablers, in making them go to bed, get up, visitting their chambers in a morning, losing their breakfasts if negligent, not give them any greater liberty in going out, nor in any other point whatsoever; as they themselves shoud in every thing be more exact, and not pretend to any exemptions but with greater humility comply with all their duties. The prefect must take care that no persons under him, have too frequently leave out for all day *quod raro concedendum est* and then that he come home in time to studies, nor used they ever to have leave out till after meditations. Great care must be used to find out and punish severely any persons that drink out of the house, in any forbidden place, or that drink in passing or bring into the house any brandy or Rosalie or liqueurs, a pernicious practice, wch divers were become guilty of, and wch has now been severely lookt into. I need not admonish the prefect the watchfull care he must at all times have, least any thing be done or said against modesty, as without such a watchfulness, is apt to happen everywhere among young persons, notwithstanding all the care of Superiors, who must not fail to use severity on these occasions, yet with such prudence and secrecy, as not to discover the guilty, wch may make them worse when they are known to have already transgress'd the bounds of modesty. The prefect must inform the president of the carriage of those under him, that the president may judg whether it be better for them to stay and continue their studies, or to be remov'd by their parents to some other business. He may admonish them first privately when the fault is not so great, but when he finds no amendment, he would be to blame unless he acquaints the president or Vice-presid<sup>t</sup> and in it follows his advice. He must and ought to have a more watchfull eye over such as seem particularly familiar with each other, and this without fear of rash judgment: for S. Thomas teacheth tho'



we do not pass judgment on particulars as thieves, we may and should use the same caution as if they were so, as to this, tis sufficient they may be so; and want of watchfulness gives them an occasion to be so. The prefect in the execution of his office must by his prudence avoid the extreams of too great severity or too much indulgence. The servants are all under the Gen. prefect, who is their proper superior (as he is admonish'd num 14). He must take care they come to their prayers and devotions and sometimes that they go to the sacraments as they ought to do, that they be not out late nor in the nights, and when they are hired they must be admonish'd of this subjection to the prefect and that they cannot even go out but with his [p. 356] leave.

*Advice to the Confessarius of the Colledge and Prefect of the Study place and preachers.*

20. There was allways even from the establishment of the Colledge one that was Confessarius of the house *ex officio* and also as I find a Concionator or *Catechista* tho' I know not whether the *Catechista* was not formerly a kind of master also as to moral divinity theres no mention of this office in our present constitutions, but only of a Confessarius and we cannot well understand but of that one *Confessarius ex officio* who is now allways prefect of the Study place, what is mentioned c 2 de pietate num: 8 *Confessarius ut emolumentum etc erudire omnes debet de modo orandi. ad eundem Confessarium spectabit etc.* vide sequentia, after wch is concluded: *deniq. in rebus omnibus spiritualibus universum Collegiũ subsidiis ac praesidiis sublevabit.* This Confessarius takes place under the masters of Divinity according to his antiquity. As Confessarius he's also to direct the retreats, that is also by general exhortations as well as directing and hearing his penitents. He should I think look out and direct what meditations and meditation books with the approbation of the President to be made use of in the church. As Concionator he ought to do it either once a week or as often as he's able after advising with the president. As prefect of the study place, he's bound to give great care that all there employ their time well, in their studies and know well their Catechism.

*Advice to the Procurator.*

21. The last of the Seniors offices in the Rules is that of Procurator c. 9. and t'was often observed that in Mr. Nic. Leyburn were joyn'd the first and last office, viz. of Vicep. and Procur, yet the procurator is accustomed to take place by antiquity among the seniors under the masters of divinity. His proper office is to provide meat, drink, cloathes and what other things are necessary for the use of the colledge and of those maintain'd in it, to keep the money of the Colledge and of all the students wch they bring or is return'd with their pensions: to keep their creditor and debtor as long as they are here. To pay for what is order'd to be bought for them by their parents with the president's consent: to pay for what the president may think fit to order himself, or that he has bargain'd or order'd any one to bargain for or buy: to pay for what the Gen. prefect, has order'd to be done or bargain'd for with workmen according to the rule above quoted ex cap 8 num. 6. But certainly the procurator is not to change any thing, nor make any alterations without consulting the President, or in his absence the vicepresident, nor without their consent

and approbation neither as to the quantity nor quality of things to be provided, nor can he of himself invite any one at the Colledge expenses nor order any thing at table, only when strangers come, for wch he has the presidents general order and consent, for wch reason Mr. Brocholes would not invite a tenant to have his dinner here, without asking the president's approbation and tho persons were afterwards taken notice to be invited to eat in the Parlour without leave from the Vicep in the presidents absence, yet this with good reason was complaind on afterwards. He has notwithstanding a general leave at least in my times to call for wine for a stranger or visitor tho' the president be not there; but if the President is there, it is never his part to call for wine, but only for the President as has allways been practised in his predecessors time. The president may consult him when he thinks fit as to the management of the temporals, tho' he is not one of the chief at least superiors of the Colledge as to the discipline and government of the house. This seems necessary to be observed because procurators having the purse in their custody may be apt to fancy their power greater than it is. When he go's to eat abroad and to lye out of the house at the Country house or elsewhere tho' about the affairs of the Colledge, He, as well as all others, is to ask the president express leave for it, as has always been practised and to leave his keys in the president's hands and in his absence in the Vicepresident's, nor ought this ever to be omitted. He should take care in all difficulties that occur or that he [p. 355] can forsee to consult the said President and Vicepresident particularly as to the time of making provisions of corn, barley, linnen etc. and as to the accounts of particulars\* to whom money is advanced, or for whom it is due, that by advising with the President, the best and most prudent methods may be made use, in order to get the money that is due paid, and that their parents and persons who are to pay may not be offended with the manner in wch tis demanded. For this end all particulars laid out for tablers in the accounts sent to persons in England over and above the pensions must be set down distinctly at length, with putting them in mind that it is by their order, or if any thing may seem more than they are apt to expect, he should get the President or procurator at London at the same time fully to inform them: otherwise as it has sometimes happen'd the private expenses may seem exorbitant, and more than would have paid for their children in other Colledges, upon wch account tis certain they are sometimes inclined to send them elsewhere, under the pretence, that no such pocket expenses are spent by students under the care of religious at other houses. Tis certain the pocket money for private uses within these last 20 years is much more than formerly allow'd. Tis what I have often complaind of, as well as our London Procurator. Nay I have complain'd to some parents that they were willing and desired their children here should have more pocket money than it seem'd convenient to allow in the Colledge, and more than they could make any good use; for in what do they generally spend it but in joyning for bottles of wine or fruit, or in buying out the time of their cloths, or in such things as are not necessary and wch they value not what they cost as long as the procurator lays it out and they pay it not

\* Particulars = individuals.—K.N.



out of their monthly allowance for their private use. Heretofore 40 or at the most 50 shil. was all that the richest parents allow'd for their children above their pension, and about 30 or 20 shil for those in lower classes, of late a great deal more is placed to their parents debtor without any apologie at wch they are much offended, as our London procurator has and do's complain. And when some parents indiscreetly and without necessity allow their children 4 or 5<sup>lb</sup> per years, this is the occasion of others writing to have the same, telling their parents, that this is the custome, and that they hope they will allow them no less than other parents do their children. To remedie and prevent the inconveniencies wch it may be easy to forsee will follow to the prejudice of the house, and to our losing our pensioners, even more than any thing whatsoever that has happen'd in my time, I order'd in Mr. Brocholes time and have repeated it since that no person whatsoever shou'd have more than half a crown English allow'd for their pocket money per month, and less where the allowance of their parents would not reach so much. And that if some parents would be apt to bring inconveniencies upon us by ordering their children more, that this overplus above half a crown per month shou'd be given them by the president, or some one whom the president should appoint and only with his knowledg, to prevent consequences wch persons for want of experience may be less sensible of. Besides this no buying out of cassacks or gowns nor the buying of any other things must be permitted nor bought for them nor paid by the procurator, unless by an express and particular order of their parents seen and approved by the president unless these expenses for cloths and other things can be brought within the compass of the allowance of at most 40 or 50 shill private expenses per an. If procurators in regard of any person whatsoever do otherwise, they do not only do what is not permitted them but will be the occasion that the house will suffer very much, of wch the president [p. 354] and not the procurators must be the judg and the ill consequences both as to the discipline of the house and the offense of parents in Engld is more than sufficiently seen allready. Nor must they that go away be humour'd as to the dearness of their cloths and linnen when they go away, but it may be convenient to look into the books in Mr. Leyburn and in former times to see what was allow'd as to these matters. This buying out of Cassacks is not of ancient date, nor the private expenses any thing like what they have been of late. The president and Procurator must not only take care least any thing be laid out without a just necessity nor wch can prudently be spared of the Colledge-money but also must not suffer nor permit the tablers to spend their parents money, nor any ways by their private expenses upon any pretext whatsoever to exceed what it is convenient should be allow'd them, nor the above mentioned 40 or 50 shill, in wch used also to come the expenses of the infirmary, unless it were upon some extraordinary sickness. Let the same care therefore be used as to letting others spend money by the President and procurator as they would have in spending the colledg money. As to provisions for the Colledge itself a great deal of prudence and forecast is to be used, wch

any procurator here may easily be sensible of when put into office and when certainly they have never been in circumstances of knowing any thing of, nor can know, nor will ever know unless by taking advice, by discoursing with others in Town and examining what others in communities do, what methods they take to make things turn to the best advantage; a man may sit in his chamber or say his prayers till Mathusalems years and never be wiser and the house suffer not a little by his not informing himself. Tis a great and many times a very expensive inconvenience, to be unwilling to lay out and part with money in due time and for those provisions that must be had, for wch delay it happens that persons pay dear for it afterwards, besides corn and meal turns to the best advantage, when there's a considerable provision before hand, as should allways be. For this reason it seems to be in the Vicep rule c. 6 num. 5 *procuratorem moneat, ut quam opportunè fiant rerum necessarium provisiones*, and to the proc. c. 9. num. 8 *Faciat rerum necessarium provisiones suis temporibus ut tritici, hordei, casei, panni; . . . . . sciat etiam bonitatem et conditiones rerum, quae signa meliorum*, this cannot be got without being active, inquisitive and taking pains about it. The rule mentions that he is to *get acquittances for things signed by the president or in his absence by the Vicepresident or signed by himself by the commission of the president*. And therefore the procurator has at least had sometimes a procuration with that power in form signed by the President, as I have seen that of Mr. Edw. Dicconson. It has been before observed that he bring every month the general and particular accounts to the president, the Paris accounts every half year and Roman accounts every year, or any of these, or any accounts whatsoever at any time whensoever the President thinks fit to ask for any account belonging either to the house or to any particular. And I have been blamed more than once from Engld for not examining particular accounts, and they wonder'd how I could neglect this and yet because of my neglect or my predecessors, it may be a procurator newly put in would not be well pleas'd that this should be done, but the President should not regard what he thinks, but what other experienced persons would think of the matter. The procurator here at the Colledge is to draw the moneys belonging to the house out of the hands of the other procurators at Rome London etc. [p. 353] and it does not by any means seem advisable to let much money be out of the house in any Procurator's hands, since all are mortall and by the death of some of our procurators we have lost a great deal of money that was in their hands, a hundred pds in any procurators hands is more than enough, for fear of confusion by a suddain death. The procurator ought to go very frequently into the office houses buttery, kitchen, bakehouse brewhouse or where any workmen are working to see how they are there employ'd and that they do not neglect their work, and that nothing be wasted or spoild. Tis his business to take care that things be repair'd and mended in good time, before it be too late, as many times will happen without care, particularly as to linnen in the refectory and wardrobe and as to what belongs to the church and altar. He must provide linnen for the infirmary for the strangers room for the seniors and the



whole house, and have always a competent stock of linnen before hand bought at the best and cheapest hand as all provident good housekeepers have. And the linnen unless well wash'd is spoild with a considerable loss to the house. It must also be carefully dry'd in winter.

22. The last chapter in the Constitutions is *de officiis minoribus*, the first named is the prefect of the Sacristy, formerly I remember Dr. Paston and Dr. Jones when doctors in those offices I think also Mr. Baldwin, so that divers times it has been one of the first Seniors. As tis his duty to teach the priests the ceremonies of mass the deacons subdeacons master of Ceremonies, Acolyths Thrifers etc. and teach everyone the best and decent method of serving at mass, to take care that the sacristan perform well his duty as well as those that have care of the altars. He should also be perfect in the ceremonies that regard the high mass and ceremonies of the Quire at all offices and have them writt out and exposed upon a board in the Sacristy for every one to have recours to as they come to be alumni and associated to the Quire. He's to take account of all the linnen, to put [in mind] the Procurator and if need be the President of what may want mending, changing or necessary to be bought, that nothing be wanting and all there in good order.

The prefect of the Infirmary shou'd also be a priest, and if possible not one of the masters of humanity if another can be found, because of his being called out of school. Let him take care that the sheets and shirts be dry before laid on the beds or deliverd to be put on. By the rules last year or not long ago deliverd he must take care that those come not too frequently there that are not sick, nor that any out of idleness stay there without necessity on idle pretences, when the physician dos not find it necessary they shoud be there. He must take great care that they go to Confession in time, to acquaint their Confessors that the administration of the Sacraments be perform'd in due time, as also of their daly prayers and devotions particularly on Sundays and holy-days.

The prefect of Wardrobe Kitchin and Library shall have their rules renew'd as they ought to be by the president with some rules for the prefects of the library and dormitory with instructions to the Butler some of wch were allready given.

These admonitions were set down ye beginning of June 1725.

by RV.P.

[Pages 369-373 blank.]

[p. 374]. *A receipt to make Doctor's Paston's fine Incense.*

Take of Olibanum the whitest you can get 7 ounces, of Storax 3 ounces, of Benjamin\* 3 ounces and if you will an Ounce of Labdanum,† pound and sift these and mix the powders well together with an ounce of charcoal or thereabouts, this being done make them all up together with your white gum consumed in water and make it up into cakes lay it by to dry, but not in the sun for it will melt but in the aire. If you make an addition of Civitt, musk, or amber greece it will be much better wch you must mix with your Benjamin in powder.

\* Gum benzoin.  
adanum.

*Mr. Molin's Cordial orange bitter.*

R. thin rhine of 14, 16 or 18 sevil oranges half an ounce of the best Saffron pull'd in pieces, one ounce of Gentian rooot [*sic*] sliced infuse in a quart of the best brandy and shake it well every day for 3 weeks, then filtrate. Take in Bohea Tea a Teaspoonful in each dish or two spoonfuls in a glass of sweet wine. For faintness of spirits, want of appetit and generally for all uses that bitters are useful for.

After filtration put to them same ingredients, two quarts part white wine part brand, let it stand infusing till the orange peels begin to turn pale and filtrate as before.

*Mr. Molins Sovereign Cordial,*

R. either kernells or bitter almonds half a pound bruise them and infuse them for about 8 or 10 days in a quart of brandy, when you pour of the brandy add more as long as the kernells remain strong.

R in a pint bottle put in a quarter of a pd of the best double refined sugar fill it with spring water and let it dissolve.

*The mixture of ye cordial.*

$\frac{1}{4}$ of the aforesaid ratifia	$\frac{1}{4}$ of the 2d bitter
$\frac{1}{4}$ of the sugar and water	$\frac{1}{8}$ of Syrrup of Mulberries or of
$\frac{1}{4}$ of Frontiacque	Clove Gilly flowers mixt all and
$\frac{1}{4}$	filtrate.

R. Rad. Gentian  $\frac{3}{4}$ ss.

Sem. Cardam. min Corx. aurant. Sevil. āa  $\frac{3}{4}$ ii

Summitat. absinth. r. p.j.

Coccinel. [1 scruple] (*represented in MS. by the apothecaries' symbol*)  
infundantr frigidè in Spt. Vin. Gallici lbj.

Colaturae sumat g<sup>tt</sup> 60 ad libitum.

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[A document in original, on rather smaller paper, is here inserted and paged 376. It relates to the annual expenditure for presenting alumni for degrees and is as follows:]

[p. 376].

*Emme et R'me D'ne,*

Robertus Witham Praeses Collegii Anglorū Duaci humiliter exponit Emñiae V'rae, quatenus alias illi benignè concessa fuit Facultas seponendi sexaginta scuta annua è redditibus ejusdem Collii, promouendis Alumnis ad Gradus Academicos, prout Pr'i expedire uideretur, insumenda: Cumque jam inde uigeant eadem rationes idem faciendi, nimirum magna tam Missionis Anglicanae, quam ipsius Collii utilitas: Idem humiliter Supplicat, quatenus Emn<sup>a</sup> V<sup>a</sup> praefatam facult'm in posterum continuare dignetur. Quam Gratiam & Quam Deus &c.

Ad alium Triennium praed<sup>am</sup>: Facultatē eidem Reu<sup>do</sup>: Dño Praesidi d<sup>i</sup> Collegij prorogamus: Datū Romae ex Aedibus nris hac die p<sup>a</sup> Februarii 1726.

Ph A Card<sup>ls</sup> Gualterius Prot<sup>or</sup>\*

[At the left-hand lower corner of the above document is affixed an impressed paper seal, with the armorial bearings of Cardinal Gualtierius.]

\* Philip Antony Gualtierius (1660-1728), Cardinal Protector of Great Britain. His arms were:—Azure, 3 bars or, 3 bezants in chief (*Vita et Res Gestae Pontificum et S.R.E. Cardinalium . . . scriptae a Mario Guarnacci* [Rome, 1751], ii, 86).—E.N.



[Page 377 blank. The remaining two folios paged 378, 379, 380 and 380 (for 381) are on paper of a wider size and have been bound, not merely inserted, into the volume. They contain an imperfect account of the "present state" of the College, which on internal evidence was written in Dr. Green's presidency.]

[p. 378]

STATUS COLLEGII ANGLO DUACENI.  
a prima Institutione ad præsens tempus.

#### I. Institutio.

Gulielmus Alanus Presbyter ex Nobile apud Lancastrienses familia ortus, primo Collegii S: Mariae in Universitate Oxoniensis Rector diende [sic] Duaci in Belgio S: Th: Doctor ac Professor Regius, tum Archiepiscopus Mechliniensis a Philippo II Hispaniarum Rege nominatus ac demum S: R: Eccl: Cardinalis a Sixto V Creatus, primus hujus Collegii Institutor et Praeses fuit. Illius autem Instituendi haec erat Occasio.

Cum Elizabetha Anglae Regina impiis Legibus Hæresim Stabilerit et crudelem in omnes Catholicos, Sed praesertim in Sacerdotes qui Fidem Catholicam ac Sedes Apostolicae jura defenderunt persecutionem moveret: Alanus ob Fidem tunc exul, et laboranti Patriae pio zelo cupiens succurrere, id non alia ratione melius fieri posse judicabat quam Collegio constituto quod et exulibus Clericis perfugium et juventuti instituendi gymnasium [sic], et sacerdotibus Missionariis perfectuo educandis seminarium foret. Quicquid igitur ex Cathedra Theologica et beneficio Ecclesiastico, qua in Universitate Duacena adeptus erat, quicquid, ex vicinorum abbatum aliorumq. piorum hominum Eleemoysinis comparare potuit, id totum ad pium hoc institutum contulit; atq. ita demum coëmpis Duaci aedibus, coactisque quibusdam exilii sociis anno reparatae salutis 1568 Collegium hoc instituit; ejusdemq. approbationem et confirmationem eodem anno a S. Pio V Pont: Max: obtinuit.

Quamvis autem confirmationis hujus instrumentum jam non reperiamus extitisse tamen certo Scimus, non solum ex Hemerologiis nostris et Historiis illorum temporum sed etiam ex Grego: XIII constitutione *Omnipotens Deus* data 12 Cal: Feb: anno 1582, et Sixti V constitutione *Afflictae* data 3º: nonas Sept: Anno 1586.

#### II. Census.

Primum igitur hoc Anglorum ob Fidem exulum Collegium, quod et academiae Duacensis primum etiam fuit primumq. Seminarium ad normam Concilii Tridentini, et ad exemplar Medialanensis in regionibus Transalpinis erectum; nullum ab initio censum, nullos certos redditus habuit: Sed Eleemoysinis et gratuita piorum hominum Largitate quasi in diem vixit; donec Ssmus Dnus Greg XIII de gente nostrâ et fide Catholicâ optime meritis anno 1575 die 5 Aprilis pensionem [p. 379] mensuram Centum Scutorum Auri eidem concessit. Quae postmodum ab eadem Sanctâ Sede ad 175 scuta Italica in singulos menses, seu 2100 scuta per annum aucta est. Et haec quidem pensio perpetuâ sommorum Pontificum munificentia ad hunc usq. diem persoluta fuit, et juxta S: Sedis intentionem in adolescentibus [sic] anglis in missionem Anglicanam educandis magno cum animarum fructa [sic] diligenter collocata.

Anno autem 1582 Philippus II Hispaniarum Rex et Belgii Princeps aliam pensionem bis mille Coronatorum per annum concessit, quae a Philippis III et IV confirmata fuit. Verum ob aerarium Flandricum bellis et tumultibus exhaustum et ob ministrorum Philippi IV negligentiam et duritiam, nihil ex hac Pensione Hispanicâ perceptum est jam ab anno 1625. neq. quicquam iteratis supplicationibus obtineri potuit, praeter nuda sive Concilii Flandrici sive Regis promissa. Ubi vero anno 1667 Urbs Duacena in Regis Christianissimi Ludovici XIV ditionem transiit, rejecta penitus est Collegii Supplicatio eidem Regi pro pensione hac humiliter porrecta; ita ut nulla jam supersit pensionem hanc recuperandi spes nulla expectatio.

Alii redditus certi quos ex praediis vel ex montibus Romano Bruxellensi et Parisiensi percipimus, variis temporibus constituti sunt partim nobilium Anglorum, partim Sacerdotum Missionariorum benefactionibus et eleemosynis, et quidem redditus Romanus et Bruxellensis exiqui [*sic*] admodum sunt, cum ex illo scuta Italica 44 tantum, ex hoc Librae gallicae 90 quotannis proveniant. Census Parisiensis Libras gallicas 3230 exaequat; sed ita regiis edictis sine ulla nostrâ culpâ, imminutus est, ut sexdecim Scholarium pensiones annuas amiserimus. Ex praediis deniq. quae prope Duacum sunt annuatim Libras gallicas 1919 percipimus: sed per nuperum Ludovici XV edictum effectum est, ut post quietam 40 annorum possessionem Lis nobis de iisdem redimentis [*sic*] ab heredibus Laicis intendatur.

Reditus deniq. incerti pensiones annuae sunt, quas Angli Catholici ad suos suorumq. liberos hic alendos persolvunt. Hi crescunt minuunturque pro majore vel minore numero Scholarium. quantacumq. autem in his exigendis adhibeatur diligentia tamen vel propter communium temporum acerbitates vel propter vexationes quas Catholici prae coeteris in Angliâ patiuntur, non raro accidit, ut summam in iis corrogandis difficultatem Experiamur.

Coeterum observandum est redditus omnes supra memoratos omnesq. pensiones annuas (praeter Pontificam et pauculas alias de quibus infra) ex Fundatorum instituto deputare, non ad Alumnorum sustentationem, sed ad juvenes alendos, donec aetate et Litteraturâ vel juramento Alumnorum Pontificiorum prestando idonei sint; vel confecto Studio- rum curriculo ad Parentes redeant. Jus autem hujusmodi adolescentes nominandi ac presentandi est plerumq. penes Fundatorum hoeredes, et in quibusdam penes Collegii Praesidem.

Quatuor tamen ex praedictis pensiunculis (ut super indicatum est) eâ Lege institutae sunt ut ex iis alantur adolescentes non primis modo studiorum annis ut fit in reliquis; Sed etiam post praestitum alumnorum juramentum usq. ad confecta studia etiam Thololgica. His autem quatuor pensionibus et soepe memoratâ munificentâ Pontificâ exceptis, nihil prorsus.\*

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[p. 380] causam defenderent, defuisse; quorum aliqui cum primis orbis Christiani scriptoribus non immerito nominare queant.

\* A leaf (and probably more than one) here missing.



Neque ille eiusdem instituti contemnendus est fructus, quod Magna Nobilium Convictorum multitudo hinc in Patriam reversa, fidei puritatem, quam hic hauserat (?) [*indistinctly written*] sanctissimis moribus ornavit atque aliis Catholicis tam sacerdotibus quam Laicis, opibus gratia patrocinio soepè magno praesidio fuit.

Sed nulla re magis hoc Collegium nobilitatur, et triumphat quam fortissimorum Pugilum victoriis, qui profuso sanguine gloriosum Christo et Ecclesiae testimonium dederunt. Nam ut omittam plurimos illius sacerdotes, *qui egentes angustati, Afflicti* ac sæpius in exilium eiectione alacriores semper *ad propositum sibi certamen recurrerunt*, ut taceam eos, qui *Ludibria et verbera experti insuper et vincula et carceres*; quorum soepe squalore extincti sunt, inter alumnos suos supra Centum et quadraginta Sacerdotes numerat, qui pro fide Catholica, et Sedis Apostolicae constanti obedientia, semisuspensio evisceratione et capitis obtruncatione, crudeli quidem sed in conspectu Domini pretiosa morte coronati sunt. Horum nomina et certamina Primitivorum corre\* æmula scriptis mandata servamus; de iisque apud historicos, aliosque Scriptores illustra passim extant testimonia. Sed nihil illustrius quam Sixti V Pont: Max: in Constitutione *Afflictae* toti Orbi Christiano de iisdem promulgatum praeconium gloriosi inquit, et *apud posteros illustribus* quoque futuris martyriis suam erga Chatholicam [*sic*] Fidem et hanc Sanctam sedem devotionem, usque ad sanguinem et Spiritus effusionem testantur.

#### V. *Praesens Collegii Status.*

1. Collegialium numerus. Aluntur hoc tempore in Collegio Personae Centum Viginti sex, praeter Famulos; ex quibus Alumni Pontificii sunt viginti novem: Praeses videlicet, ac Vicepraeses, qui etiam Confessarii est, et Oeconomus. Theologiae Magistri [*sic*] duo, qui ambo Confessarii sunt, alter studiorum etiam Praefectus, Philosophiae itidem Magistri duo et Praefectus Generalis. Hi septem superiores sunt, et quoniam aetate provectiores esse solent *seniores* appellantur. Humaniorum Literarum Magistri Sex sunt, quibus annumerari solet Cathechista [*sic*], cui musaei communis Praefectura commissa est. Supradicti quatuordecim omnes sunt Praesbyteri. Inter Theologos alumni numerantur novem: quorum duo Diaconi sunt, Subdiaconi duo, Minoribus Ordinibus initiati quinque sunt etiam inter Physicos duo, inter Logicos tres, inter Rhetores unus. Convictores septem supra nonaginta sunt: ex quibus sunt Sacerdotes duo, Diaconus unus, Clericus unus, Magister Musices unus, et Theologus unus. Ex Alumnis autem, et Convictoribus sexaginta circiter sunt ex primariis vel certe honestioribus Angliae Familiis oriundi.

2. Incommoda, quibus laborat Collegium intra paucos annos quatuor Theologiae magistros vel morte vel malâ valetudine vel ob alias causas necessarias amisimus. Et nunc Professor Primarius qui [p. 380, *in error for 381*] Studiorum etiam Praefectus est vir Collegio valde utilis ne dicam necessarius tam Incommodâ plerumque est valetudine, ut onus sibi impositum [*sic*] sustinere vix possit. Magna

\* *sic, for corde æmulo.*

praeterea Theologorum et Philosophorum nunc paucitas est: quod propterea accidit quia Octo vel novem ab hinc annis propter bellorum vel tumultus vel rumores tractus ex Angliâ Catholicis praesertim difficilis admodum fuit. Verum in Classibus inferioribus multos bonae spei adolescentes habemus, qui hoc damnum intra aliquod tempus reparaturi sperantur.

Huc accedit quod aedium pars major vetustate Labefactata ruinam minari jam incipiat. Templum quidem et media fere pars aedium sub decessoris mei decessore Witham a fundamentis renovata adque [*sic*] instaurata sunt. Reliquis vero reaedicandis, quod breve tempore necessario faciendum erit undenam sufficiens comparetur pecunia divinare difficile est. Nam Catholicorum in Anglia crescens in dies inopia et publicanorum hic bonis Ecclesiasticis inhiantium aviditas, et vectigalia solito graviora regnis finitimis imperata, atque alia eius generis [*sic*] efficiunt, ut potius de constitutis jam redditibus nostris, quantulumque isti sunt, timere quam de renovandis aedibus cogitare debeamus.

Maximum vero huic Collegio malum imminet, ex novis Universitati Duacensi nuper a lege impositis Statutis per quae si nobiscum ex rigore Legis agere vellent (quod hactenus tamen ab ipsis tentatum non est) nullam jam amplius Theologiam docendi jus haberemus quod tamen nobis ab Apostolica Sede non concessum modò ac soepius confirmatum sed etiam imperatum est. Magnum olim Collegio nostro detrimentum attulisse traditur innovatio quaedam veteris disciplinae ab Worthington tertio huius Collegii Praeside, introducta; cum juniores tantum studiosos è domo ad literas in alienis scholis dicendas emitteret. Quà de Re. Killison [*sic*] Praeside, monitus Summus Pontifex, novitatem abolendam ac veterem disciplinam restituendam censuit. Si vero nobis hoc tempore Theologiam docendi munus eripiant, Longe graviore damno Collegium nostrum, atque adeo missionem Anglicanam Afficient. Cum enim ad Missionem nostram minus accommodata sit quae in Scholis Belgicis traditur Theologia, et Constitutiones nostrae alumnos qui non docent, expleto anno tertio vel ad summum quarto in missionem jubeant proficisci; Si docere in Collegio prohibebimur nullos umquam alicujus nominis in Angliâ Theologos habituri sumus, qui causam Ecclesiae contra haereticos defendant. Verum Apostolicae Sedis, sub cujus tutela ac praesidio sumus auctoritate; contra hujus modi Lites, si quae forte intentatae fuerint protegendos nos ac muniendos speramus,

3. Missionariorum Numerus:— Si pauciores nunc quam olim Operarios in Messem Anglicanam mittimus nemini mirum videri debet, cum propter duplicia Catholicis Anglis ab anno 1688 imperata vectigalia multasque et graves quae iisdem ab eo tempore acciderunt calamitates, eleemosynarum nobis ex Angliâ profluentium fontes paulatim exarescant. Singulis tamen annis ternos vel quaternos, et aliquando plures mittere jam solemus. Imo supputatione nuper a Vicariis Apostolicis facta constabat, fere tot numero Sacerdotes ex hoc uno Collegio jam in Messe Anglicanâ Laborantes numerari [*the rest is wanting; a leaf, and perhaps more than one, is lacking*].

END OF THE VOLUME.



[The following memorandum of Ordinations between 1691 and 1696, is bound into the volume between folios 130 and 131 (see p. 124). The Cambrai, Arras and Tournai.]

Nomin diœces	Natus	Jurament
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Thomas Brown (Day) Asaphensis	19 Octob. 1665	12 Maii. 1686
Brianus Pet Tunstall Eboracensis	2 Martii 1673	15 Aug. 1689
Eduardus Blay Londinensis	24 Feb. 1672	8 Sept. 1690
Henr: Somerset Herefordiensis	30 Martii 1671	30 Dec. 1692
Laurent: Mayes Eboracensis	17 Jan. 1673	6 Junii 1694
Rich: Palin Lichfeldensis	September 1670	6 Junii 1694
Rober: Bowes Cicestriensis	August 1673	5 April 1695
Joan: Knaresbrough Eboracensis	4 Decemb. 1672	16 Sept. 1691
Thomas Clayton Lichfeldensis	30 Maij 1672	13 Septe 1693
Lancelotus Thompson Dunelmensis	16 Junij 1677	1 Janu. 1696
Law Rigby Cestriensis	10 Augusti 1675	5 April 1695
Georg: Leyburn Cestriensis		
Nicolaus Leyburn		
Benjamin Petre Londinensis		

On reverse:—

Thomas Jameson (hic Seddon)  
Dioec Cestriensis.

*written on a sheet of paper somewhat smaller than the leaves of the Diary, abbreviations Camer., Atreb., Torn. stand for the places of Ordination—*

Tonsur:	4 Minor:	Subdiac:	diac	Pr.
19 Sept 92. Camer.	19 Sept 92. Camer.	19 Decemb. 93 Camer.	2 April 95 Atreb.	21 A[pril] 96. Tor.
21 Septemb. 91 Camer.	21 Septem. 91 Camer.	19 Decemb. 93 Camer.	24 Sept. 95 Atreb.	21 April 96 Torn:
19 Septem. 92 Camer.	19 Septem. 92 Camer.	2 April 95 Atreb.	21 April 96 Torn.	
19 Septem. 92 Camer.	19 Sept. 92 Camer.	28 Maij 95 Atreb.	21 April 96 Torn.	
22 Maij 95 Tornaci	23 Maij 95 Torn:	24 Sept. 95 Atreb.	21 April 96 Torn.	
22 Maij 95 Torn.	23 Maij 95 Torn.	24 Sept. 95 Atreb.	21 April 96 Torna.	
22 Maij 95 Torn.	23 Maij 95 Torn.	24 Sept. 95 Atreb.	21 April 96 Torn.	
22 Maij 95 Torn.	23 Maij 95 Torn.	21 April 96 Tornaci.		
19 Sept. 92 Camer.	19 Sept. 92 Camer.	16 Junij 96 Camera.		
7 Aprilis 1696 Tornaci	8 April 96 Torna.			
7 Aprilis 1696 Tornaci.	8 April 96 Torna.			
7 Aprilis 1696 Tornaci.	8 April 96 Torn.			
19 Sept. 92 Camer	19 Septemb. 92 Camer.	28 Maij 95 Atreb.		
19 Septem. 92 Camer.	19 Septemb. 92 Camer.	2 April 95 Atreb.	24 Sept. 95 Atreb.	



## NOTES ON BISHOP CHALLONER.

*[Loosely inserted at the beginning of the Diary is a quarto sheet of paper of 4 pages, with the following notes signed by William Gibson, President, and dated 1784. To this is attached by a wafer a single quarto sheet on one side of which is written the beginning of a life of Bishop Challoner: on the reverse is a school-boy's exercise dated 1752.]*

I have taken the following extracts from the College Diary.

Accessit Richardus Willard 31 Julii an 1704. He is mentioned in y<sup>e</sup> Catalogue among y<sup>e</sup> Syntaxians in 1705 and amongst y<sup>e</sup> Poets in 1706.

Die 3<sup>o</sup> Novembris 1708 Richardus Challoner Filius Richardi et Gratiae Willard Diocesis Cicestriensis took y<sup>e</sup> College oath.

In April 1710 He is called Mr Willard in Aug: y<sup>e</sup> same year he is called in y<sup>e</sup> Catalogue Dominus Willard from whence we may perhaps gather that he was made Subdeacon sometime betwixt April and Aug:

I find him in y<sup>e</sup> Catalogue amongst y<sup>e</sup> Divines in y<sup>e</sup> years 1710 and 1711.

He was Professor of Poetry 1712.

Die 6<sup>to</sup> Octobris 1713 Dnus Challoner tunc Professor Rhetoricae successit Dno Berington Philosophiae Professori.

He was made Deacon on y<sup>e</sup> seventh of March 1716 and Die 28 ejusdem mensis Martii et eodem anno Tornaci ab eodem Episcopo Ernest Episcopo Tornacensi suscepit sacrum presbyteratus ordinem D. Richardus Challoner hic Willard primarius Philosophiae Professor doctrinâ et pietate (si quis alius) conspicuus primitias suas Deo consecravit in festo Resurrectionis Dominicae die Aprilis duodecimo.

Die 17 Julii 1718 in Angliam ob quaedam negotia reversus ante festum S: Remigii profectus est R. D. Richardus Willard. He returned in September.

April 1719 ad gradum Baccalaureatus et Licentiatu in Sacrâ Theologiâ cum ingenti omnium applausu promotus est R. D. Challoner hic Willard Philosophiae Professor.

Mr Dicconson the Vice President went to England on y<sup>e</sup> 13th of July 1720. I suppose Mr. Challoner succeeded him immediately as I find him Vice President in Oct: 1720 viz. y<sup>e</sup> same year.

Die 27 Maii 1727 Lauream Doctoralem accepit quam jamdudum omnium opinione et judicio optime meruerat Eximius D. Riccardus Challoner Theologiae per sex annos Professor.

Die 18 Aug: 1730 in missionem Anglicanam Londinum profectus est Exim: D. Ricardus Challoner hic Willard Sac: Theol: Doctor et Professor per 10 annos qui literas humaniores et Philosophiam per 5 annos docuerat Confessarius Praefectus Studiorum vir in omni scientiarum genere versatissimus insigni pietate praeditus zelo animarum et charitate erga Deum et proximum accensus.

Wil: Gibson Presd: an: 1784.

*[The page which follows is in another hand.]*

The life of Richard Challoner  
Bishop of Deborum in Macedonia, and Apostolical Vicar in England in  
the District of London.

He was born about the end of Sept<sup>r</sup> 1691 and educated while a child in the sect called Presbyterians, but providence soon conducted him to a pious missionary Priest, who taught him the catholic catechism, and disabused his simplicity of those involuntary errors, which his first education had instilled into him. He was sent about the age of 13 to Douay College, and run through his schools with great rapidity, shewing in all his exercises, whether private or publick an excelent genius, quick parts, and solid judgment. At the age of 22, having finished his course of Divinity he was put to teach Philosophy, and taught it seven years. From the year 1720 till 1730, that is 10 years, he taught divinity with great perspicuity, brevity, and preciseness, following closely the doctrine of S. Thomas. In the year 1724 he concurred for the royal chair of divinity in the university of Douay against one Antagonist, who was bred up in the molinistical schools, et devoted entirely to those principles. The judges were the same. Mr. Challoner's antagonist was declared more worthy of the theological chair. M<sup>r</sup> Challoner appealed from their judgment by the order of the president, all the thomistical professors of divinity out of every order and Seminary gave joint testimonies in favour of M<sup>r</sup> Challoner, and declared him by many degrees an abler theologian than his Antagonist. During the concourse great indignities were shewn to M<sup>r</sup> Challoner, wch he with an uncommon meekness and patience bore without complaint. M<sup>r</sup> Challoner's antagonist was, without examination about the merits of the appeal, and without any letters patent, permitted to teach in the publick schools, that the vacancy of the chair might not be a prejudice to the university Scholars, and continued to enjoy it in that manner, Mr. Challoner ceasing to prosecute or urge his appeal. On the 4 of May 1727 he held his vesperiae and the morning following was created Doctor. In summer 1730 he went upon the Mission, in 1738 he was nominated president of Douay College: but Benjamin Petre Bishop of London would not consent to his return, for he designed him for his Coadjutor. Accordingly 1741 he was consecrated Bishop of Deborum in Macedonia.

*[In a schoolboy hand is the following, which may be given here as a specimen of the scholastic exercises then practised.]*

To the greater Glory of God.

Upon y<sup>e</sup> Removal of that wild scene of Wonders, which had very much disturb'd my imagination, I took a full survey of y<sup>e</sup> persons of Witt and Truth. For indeed it was Impossible to Look upon y<sup>e</sup> first without seing the other at y<sup>e</sup> same time. There was behind them a strong and compact body of figures. The genius of Heroick Poetry appeared with a sword in her hand and a Laurel on her head. Tragedy was crown'd with Cypress and cover'd with robes dipped in blood. Satyr had smiles in her Looks and a Dagger under her garment. Rhetoric was known by thunderbolt and Comedy by her mask. After many other figures Epigram marched in y<sup>e</sup> rear who had been placed there at



y<sup>e</sup> begining of y<sup>e</sup> expedition, that he might not revolt to y<sup>e</sup> enemy whom he was suspected to favour in his heart I was very much delighted with y<sup>e</sup> appearance of y<sup>e</sup> God of Witt, there was something so amiable and yet so piercing in his Looks as inspired me at once with Love and terror. As I was Gazing on him to my unspeakable Joy, he took a quiver of arrows from his shoulders in order to make me a present of it but as I was reaching out my hand to receive it of him I knocked it against a Chair and by that means awaked.

Praise be to God always, 1752.

*[Attached to a blank page at the beginning of the Diary is the following memorandum written on blue paper.]*

In the House of Lords

De Scales Peerage.

Documents to be produced by the Very  
Rev<sup>d</sup> D. Tierney of Arundel Sussex.

No. 2. Original Books of the late English College at Douay showing the Ordination of William Maire as Deacon and Priest in June and December 1730. *[In margin, fol. 148, 162, 167, 217.]*

B. 48. Ditto ——— showing the admission of William and Marmaduke Maire to that College on the 16<sup>th</sup> August 1719 *[margin fol. 60].*

No. 4. Do showing the return of Richd and Jno Maire to the College *[margin fol. 34].*

B. 49. Ditto ——— showing the death of the said Marmaduke Maire on the 22<sup>nd</sup> July 1720 *[margin fol. 79].*

B. 51. Ditto ——— showing the burial of Richard Maire on the 29<sup>th</sup> of May 1721.

*[In pencil on reverse, in Dr. Tierney's writing:—]*

No 2 (fol. 148-162-167). Ordination of William Maire as Subdeacon, Deacon and Priest March 27 1728: June 11<sup>th</sup> 1730 and Dec. 1730 respectively. In the entry of the first fol. 148 he is described as W. Maire de Lartington.

B 48 (fol. 60) admission to College of William and Marmaduke Maire Aug. 16, 1719.

No. 4 (fol. 34) admission of Richard and John Maire June 14, 1716.

B. 49 (fol. 79) death of Marmaduke Maire July 22, 1720.

B 51 (fol. 86) Burial of Richard Maire May 29, 1721.

Mem. There is an entry April 27, 1728 (fol. 149) of the departure for the Mission of a priest named William Maire de Hartbushes in comitatu Dunelmensi.

*[After the preceding document is a small piece of grey paper, with the following in Dr. Tierney's writing.]*

My dear Sir.

The Douay Diary was of course kept in the College, until the Establishment was broken up and the inmates dispersed, at the period of the first French Revolution in 1793. Of the property of the college very little was saved; but amongst the few things which escaped from the general

destruction was the Diary or at least a portion of it which from that time remained in the Custody of the Rev. John Daniel, the last President of the House. Shortly before his death M<sup>r</sup> Daniel entrusted the Book to the Rev. Francis Tuite, the titular president of the Ancient Paris Seminary; and Mr. Tuite when I was preparing to publish my Edition of Dodd's Church History, confided or gave it to me. This was about the year 1835 or 1836:—since which time the Diary has been in my possession.

The Volume in which the Entries Relating to the Maires occurs, opens with the appointment of Dr. Robert Witham to the Presidentship in 1715 and is continued almost uninterruptedly in Witham's handwriting from that time until shortly before his death in 1738. The entries concerning the Maires, are written by him.

I know not of any other Circumstances that I can mention, relative to this matter Perhaps however Mr. Fleming would like to see the Book; and if so when I come to town, I can shew it to him.

[*Added, in pencil*]. Now the small exception to the continuity of Witham's handwriting through the Vol. occurs in 1728 from June 19<sup>th</sup> to Sept. 9<sup>th</sup> (fol. 149-152) when Witham was absent in England. The entries during that period are in Bish. Challoner's handwriting.

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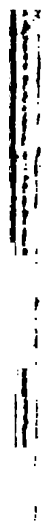
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**D**URING the past year Volume xxv, *Dominicana*, has been issued to members. *The Seventh Douay Diary* has been too long in the press, and after waiting for proofs to work on, when some came, Canon Burton was prostrated by illness. After some time Dr Barton, of St Edmund's College, took it up. With additions it will probably require two volumes.

Another Volume, *Miscellanea* xiii, has been started with late letters of Dr Nicholas Sander, contributed by Mr Wainewright, followed by a number of Registers from different parts of the country, beginning with those of Hammersmith from 1710, by Miss Harting. Others are Hexham, by Mr Baterden; Abergavenny, by Mr Canning; Brambridge in Hants, by Mr Baigent, etc., all being accompanied by interesting accounts of the missions.

For the last two years the Annual Meetings have been held in Miss Pauline Willis's Catholic Reference Library at Kensington, partly to allow members to view the Gillow Library, so kindly housed there. It was with the greatest sorrow that we heard of the destructive fire which, early on the fourth of April, destroyed her residence, 24 Holland Street, with many treasured contents. Although the Libraries adjacent are intact, the room had perforce to be closed. It had been intended to distribute rules for the use of the Gillow Library; but, after the fire, it would have been worse than useless to do so, and they are being held over until of practical use.

By permission of Cardinal Bourne, already many times graciously granted, it is proposed to hold the meeting in His Eminence's library. Not that any fixed place is necessary or desirable; for instance, when our Vice-president, Sir John Knill, was Lord Mayor in 1910, a pleasant and successful meeting was held at the Mansion House by his permission.

New members are only nine, viz.—Mr Martin J. Cahill; the Rt Rev. Mgr Edward John Watson; Mr Charles Walker; Mr David Mathew; another welcome helper from the United States, Chicago University General Library; Mr Hubert Hull; Major John William Fitzherbert-Brockholes, M.C., continues his father's membership; The Right Rev. Dr. Thorman, as Bishop of Hexham and Newcastle, introduces that See to our Roll for the first time; and Mr. George Elliot Anstruther, whose work in the Catholic cause is well known.

We have to record eight losses by death—Mrs Thomas Byrland Trappes-Lomax; Mr Henry Joseph Coulston, J.P.; Mr James Britten, K.C.S.G., F.L.S., a noted student in botany and folklore, a powerful supporter of many Catholic objects, whose name ought always to be associated with the Catholic Truth Society's great work.

When our Society was being formed he was abroad, but on hearing of it hastened to become its forty-eighth Founder, and has shown his appreciation of our work by bequeathing £200 to the C.R.S. Mr Charles James Munich, K.S.G., F.R.Hist.S., was also an active labourer in many public objects. The Rt Rev. Louis Charles Casartelli, the erudite Bishop of Salford, early showed his appreciation of the possibilities of our Society by becoming the ninth Founder. Miss Ellen Smith, a member of the Lancashire family which has done so much for us. Mr Valentine John Hussey-Walsh. The Rev. John Hungerford Pollen, S.J., was the fifty-fourth Founder, and had been an active member of the Council since the beginning and is now a great loss to it. His historical knowledge, acquaintance with old records, and access to the archives of the Society of Jesus have been of the utmost service to the C.R.S.; notably his contributions of "The English Martyrs" (Vol. v), and "The Ven. Philip Howard, Earl of Arundel" (Vol. xxi); "Bedingfeld Papers" (in Vol. vii); various "Prison Lists"; "Fr Persons' Papers."—R.I.P.

We are glad to say that only three resignations have been received, and that the membership now stands at three hundred and fifty-two. An eighteenth member has compounded for life membership.

Three members of the Council retire in rotation:—Sir Henry Stafford Jerningham, Bt.; Mr George Frederick Engelbach; and Mr John Peter Smith, who are available for re-election. For the fourth similar vacancy, anticipated by the death of Fr John Hungerford Pollen, S.J., the importance of having a Jesuit representative must be obvious, and it is intended to recommend one for election.



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We report that we have examined the above Statement of Receipts and Payments for the year ended 31st May 1991, with the books, pass books and vouchers relating thereto, and certify the same to be in accordance therewith. Messrs. Costis & Co., of 449, Stuaud, W.C.2., certify that they hold the foregoing securities on behalf of the undersigned.

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## TRANSACTIONS OF THE TWENTY-FIRST ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING.

*[The subjoined summary of the proceedings is mainly based on the report which appeared in "The Tablet."]*

The Twenty-first Annual Meeting of the Catholic Record Society was held at Archbishop's House, Westminster, on Tuesday, the 14th July, 1925. His Eminence Cardinal Gasquet presided.

In moving the adoption of the report, His Eminence said that it seemed the Society was in a flourishing condition. The prosperity, however, was not altogether a happy state, because it arose from the fact that they had not been able to publish the amount of matter which it had been intended to publish, Canon Burton having, unfortunately, in the midst of his work, been overtaken by a very serious malady of the eyes. They had not, therefore, been called upon to spend money in publication; and their apparent prosperity arose from that fact rather than from increase of capital.

To the publication of Catholic records the Society had added the responsibility of looking after the collection left by Mr Gillow. They had to thank Miss Willis, who had housed the collection, and they sympathised with her in the disastrous fire which had prevented them from meeting this year at the library. His Eminence expressed the hope that two or three volumes would soon appear, and Mr J. S. Hansom, the honorary secretary, intimated that three volumes might be published in two years.

Cardinal Gasquet said they had to consider the question of issuing the publications for which they existed, and then to find a place where they could store the collection which they had taken over as a memorial to Mr Gillow. His Eminence spoke also of the losses experienced during the year by deaths. "In Father Pollen," he said, "all Catholic literary work had sustained a heavy loss. He was a man who could be trusted to go to the bottom of things, and he showed his fearlessness in suppressing nothing. I think we have suffered a real and very true loss. The only return we can make is to remember him in our prayers. He was one from whom I have derived very great benefit. We have also lost Bishop Casartelli, a real friend of our Society, and one whose influence was a great power in furthering the work. Mr Munich, also, we have to regret, and Mr Britten, who is a loss to every Catholic Society, and, in fact, to everything Catholic. He was really the prime mover and energy of the Catholic Truth Society."

His Eminence referred also to the Holy Year pilgrimages to Rome, describing them as a marvellous witness to the universality of the Church. Cardinal Gasquet concluded by expressing good wishes and hope for the future of the Society.

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1915

- Eyre, Lewis Joseph, 7 Jan., æt. 91.  
 Bingham, William Alexander Baring, 8 Jan., æt. 56.  
 McKenna, (Miss) Alice, 5 Feb., æt. 68.  
 Goldstone, (Mrs) Frances E., 10 March, æt. 81.  
 Boothman, Charles Thomas, 20 April, æt. 71.  
 Coulston, Rev. Gabriel, D.D., 17 May, æt. 85.  
 Cheney, Alfred Denton, 17 May, æt. 66.  
 F Spedding, Carlisle James Scott, 26 Nov., æt. 63.  
 Acton, Margaret (Mrs Vincent A.), 30 Nov., æt. 78.

1916

- Trappes-Lomax, John Byrmand, 25 Jan., æt. 39.  
 Berkeley, Major Henry William, 30 Jan., æt. 84.  
 Eyston, John Joseph, 7 June, æt. 49.  
 Mostyn of Talacre, Anna Maria Lady, 11 June, æt. 65.  
 F Shipley, Orby, M.A., 5 July, æt. 84.  
 Semmes, Raphael Thomas, 4 Sept., æt. 59.  
 Ferrers, Henry Ferrers, 23 Sept., æt. 68.

1917

- Chichester, Major Henry Augustus, 21 Jan., æt. 70.  
 F Norfolk, Henry Fitzalan Howard, 15th Duke of, Earl Marshal of  
 England, K.G., P.C., G.C.V.O., 11 Feb., æt. 69. *Second President.*  
 Anderson, Yarborough, 22 April, æt. 66.  
 O'Dwyer, Rt Rev. Edward Thomas, Bishop of Limerick, 19 Aug.,  
 æt. 75.  
 Carr, Richard Marsh, 22 Sept., æt. 75.  
 Caswell, Very Rev. John Canon, 11 Nov., æt. 71.

1918

- Stapleton, Mary Helen (Hon. Mrs Bryan), 10 April, æt. 80.  
 Lindsay, Very Rev. Mgr Claud Reginald, 23 July, æt. 56.  
 Fenton, Rt Rev. Patrick, Bishop of Amycla, 23 Aug., æt. 81.  
 Stanfield, Very Rev. Raymund Canon, 19 Sept., æt. 77.  
 Scott-Gatty, Sir Alfred Scott, K.C.V.O., late Garter Principal King  
 of Arms, 18 Dec., æt. 71.

1919

- Pollen, Maria Margaret (Mrs John Hungerford), 18 Jan., æt. 80.  
 Pauling, George Craig Saunders, 10 Feb., æt. 64.  
 Mumford, Charles Edward, 18 Feb., æt. 65.  
 Cox, John Charles, LL.D., 23 Feb., æt. 75.  
 Herries, Angela Mary Charlotte Lady, 28 Feb., æt. .  
 Fitzherbert, Basil Thomas, 12 April, æt. 83.  
 Stapleton-Bretherton, Frederick Annesley, 13 April, æt. 78.  
 Birt, Rev. Henry Norbert, O.S.B., 21 Aug., æt. 58.  
 Vaughan, Colonel Francis Baynham, K.C.P., 9 Sept., æt. 75.  
 Humble, Anna Maria (Mrs John), 27 Oct., æt. 80.  
 MacGregor, Harriette (Mrs Donald), 27 Oct., æt. 75.  
 Wyndham, Very Rev. Francis Merrik Canon, O.S.C., 16 Nov., æt. 81.  
 Walmsley, Thomas, 11 Dec., æt. 79.

1920

- F Ward, Rt Rev. Bernard, Bishop of Brentwood, 21 Jan., æt. 62.  
 Donnelly, Rt Rev. Nicholas, Bishop of Canea and Auxiliary of Dublin,  
 March, æt. 83.  
 Kirby, Edmund, 24 April, æt. 82.



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- Teebay, Rev. George, 26 April, æt. 71.  
 Kennard, Rt Rev. Mgr Charles Henry Canon, 6 Aug., æt. 79.  
 Culley, Rt Rev. Mgr Matthew, 19 Aug., æt. 60.  
 F Bowden, Rev. Henry George Sebastian, Cong. Oratory, 26 Sept., æt. 84.  
 Maguire, Most Rev. John Aloysius, Archbishop of Glasgow, 14 Oct., æt. 69.  
 Guiney, (Miss) Louise Imogen, 2 Nov., æt. 59.  
 Carus, Alexander, K.S.G., 21 Dec., æt. 78.

## 1921

- Elwes, Gervase Henry, K.M., 12 Jan., æt. 54.  
 Whiteside, Most Rev. Thomas, Archbishop of Liverpool, 28 Jan., æt. 63.  
 F Gillow, Joseph, 17 March, æt. 70. *First Honorary Recorder.*  
 F Wedgwood, Rowland Henry, M.A., 28 March, æt. 73.  
 Witham, Philip, 3 May, æt. 78.  
 Warrington, John Francis, 16 June, æt. 53.  
 Stanley-Cary-Caddell, Agnes Mary (Mrs), 16 July, æt. 83.  
 Ruigny and Raineval, Melville Amadeus Henry Douglas Heddle de la Caillemotte de Massue, Marquis of, 6 Oct., æt. 53.  
 Fitzsimons, Frederick John, 23 Dec., æt. 66.  
 Howell, Helen Mary Maxima (Mrs David), 26 Dec., æt. 62.

## 1922.

- Cosgrave, Very Rev. Lawrence Canon, V.F., 9 March, æt. 73.  
 Stokes, Philip Folliott Scott, 13 July, æt. 70.  
 Fitzwilliam, Lady Alice Mary Wentworth, Oct., æt. 73.  
 Thomas, Charles Edward, 4 Nov., æt. 69.

## 1923

- Boothman, Edward Duncan, M.A., 22 Jan., æt. 78.  
 Wilmot, Hon. Alexander Count, K.S.G., K.H.S., 3 April, æt. 86.  
 Newdigate, Alfred, M.A., 20 April, æt. 93.  
 Leeming, Henry Heatley, K.S.S., 21 May, æt. 65.  
 Meynell, Edgar John, 4 July, æt. 63.  
 Weetman, Henry Charles, 7 Oct., æt. 73.  
 Waldron, Rt Hon. Laurence Ambrose, P.C., 27 Dec., æt. 65.

## 1924

- Fitzherbert-Brockholes, William Joseph, C.B.E., 21 Jan., æt. 72.  
 Cahill, (Miss) Mary Angela Christine, 22 March, æt. 55.  
 F Tatum, Rev. George Benson, M.A., 27 March, æt. 69.  
 Trappes-Lomax, Helen (Mrs Thomas Byrmand), 15 June, æt. 79.  
 Coulston, Henry Joseph, J.P., 21 July, æt. 62.  
 F Britten, James, K.C.S.G., F.L.S., 8 Oct., æt. 78.  
*Bequeathed £200 to the Society.*  
 Munich, Charles James, F.R.Hist.S., 8 Oct., æt. 63.

## 1925

- Hussey-Walsh, Valentine, April, æt. 63.  
 Casartelli, Rt Rev. Charles, Bishop of Salford, 18 Jan., æt. 72.  
 Smith, Miss Ellen, 20 Jan., æt. 67.  
 Pollen, Rev. John Hungerford, S.J., 28 April, æt. 66.

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## TWENTY-SECOND ANNUAL REPORT

THE outstanding feature of the Society's history during the past year has been the retirement of Mr Hansom, its chief Founder, who has also, since 1912, acted as Honorary Secretary. Mr Hansom has ever been most zealous in promoting the interests of the Catholic Record Society, and his resignation, brought about by advancing years, is a most serious loss.

His place as Secretary has been filled by the appointment of Mr R. C. Wilton, B.A. (St. Catharine's College, Cambridge). The new Honorary Secretary is archivist to the Duchess of Norfolk, and her Grace, who is a member of the Society, has most kindly given permission for the storage of the Society's books and papers at Old Norfolk House.

This arrangement, for the time being, saves the Society the expense of finding accommodation for the spare volumes, and the documents, which had been previously in the care of the late Secretary.

A severe illness, which prostrated Mr Hansom for some weeks, and the rearrangements consequent upon his retirement, have necessarily caused delay in all departments of the work, and the Council must appeal to the patience of the members in respect to the great difficulties it has had to encounter.

The death of Canon Burton is an irreparable loss. He was ever ready to devote his time and great antiquarian ability to the service of the Society; some of his work may be seen in our earliest volumes, and he was responsible for the Third, Fourth and Fifth Douay Diaries, which appeared in the 10th and 11th volumes.

The *Seventh Douay Diary* still continues in hand. As stated in the last Report, on account of Canon Burton's illness, the work was taken up by Dr Barton, of St Edmund's College, who, however, found it impossible to continue, and eventually Mgr Canon Nolan, M.A., also formerly of St Edmund's, consented to undertake the volume. Considerable difficulty has been found, however, in the correction of the proofs, and the work is still unfinished. The retirement of Mr Hansom has delayed the appearance of *Miscellanea XIII*, foreshadowed in the last Report, but the volume is now in the Press. The Brambridge and Abergavenny Registers, also alluded to in the last Report, have been transferred to a later volume of *Miscellanea*.

The effects of the disastrous fire which last year destroyed Miss Willis's house at 24, Holland Street, Kensington, have now been remedied, and it has consequently been possible to reopen the Gillow Library.

The financial statement for the past year is as follows: A legacy has been received from Mr Britten amounting to £200 18s. 2d. There is one life membership of £21, also two at £10 10s. 0d. These

amounts, added to the previous eighteen life memberships, make the strictly Capital account of the Society equal to £431 18s. 2d. £500 has been invested in National War Bonds, making the total of invested funds at present prices £1,565 12s. 6d.

The following new members have joined: The Earl of Gainsborough, O.B.E., who has taken on his late father's membership; the Duchesse de la Mothe Houdancourt, in the place of her late husband, Mr V. Hussey-Walsh; the Rev. Philip Adamson; the Rev. Robert Christall; the Rev. Peter Guilday, D.D., of St Mary's College, Brookland (D.C.), U.S.A.; the Rev. Charles A. Newdigate, S.J., in the place of the late Rev. J. H. Pollen, S.J.; the Rev. Francis J. Sumner; the Rev. Bernard Moore; Mr Francis M. Mulgrew; Mr James F. Shaw; Major Threlfall; Mr R. C. Wilton; and the Royal Historical Society. The Berlin Prussian Library, formerly the Royal Prussian Library, has rejoined. The Rev. O. S. Vassall-Phillips, C.S.S.R., and Mr Leslie Toke have compounded for life membership. The membership now stands at three hundred and fifty.

The Society loses two members by resignation, and the names of three other members have been removed under Rule 4 of the Constitutions.

The Council record with regret the deaths of The Very Rev. Canon Burton, D.D.; the Earl of Gainsborough; Bertha, Countess de Torre-Diaz; Mrs Andrew; Mr Ignatius H. Loughnan; His Honour Judge Parfitt, K.C.; and Mr Richard D. Radcliffe.

Three members of the Council retire in rotation, and are available for re-election, namely, Dom Bede Camm, O.S.B., Major Francis Skeet, and Mr R. C. Baigent. A fourth vacancy would have arisen but for the untimely death of the late Canon Edwin Burton. The vacancy caused was filled by the Council by the election of his brother, the Rev. Harold Burton, of St Margaret's House, Hampton Hill, who also offers himself for re-election.

#### PROGRESS.

THE position of our Society as compared with other Record-printing Societies and the dates of foundation will be of interest. These Societies, even with a smaller membership, have done and are doing valuable work. They deserve more support.

1904	CATHOLIC RECORDS (1 June 1926)	.. ..	350
1834	Surtees .. ..	Limited to	350
1898	Lancashire Parish Registers .. ..	..	191
1888	British Records .. ..	..	186
1904	Canterbury and York (Episcopal Registers) ..	..	202
1885	Yorkshire Archaeological (Record Series) ..	..	179
1899	Yorkshire Parish Registers .. ..	..	247
1898	Durham and Northumberland Parish Register Society .. ..	Limited to	150



## THE CATHOLIC INVESTMENT

*Dr.*

1926						£	s.	d.
May 31	To 20 Life Subscriptions @ £10 10 0	.	.	.	.	210	0	0
	„ 1 Life Subscription @ £21 0 0	.	.	.	.	21	0	0
	„ Legacy from James Britten, K.C.S.G., deceased					200	18	2
	„ Other Moneys	.	.	.	.	752	17	4
	„ Transfer from Receipts and Payments Account	.	.	.	.	500	0	0
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						1,684	15	6
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♦ The value of the above Investments at 31st May, 1926 is stated by Messrs. Coul of £119 3s. 0d.

## RECEIPTS AND

For the Year ended

*Dr.*

### RECEIPTS.

1925						£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
June 1	To Balance brought forward from last										
	Accounts:—										
	Cash at Bank—Deposit Account	.	.	.	.	700	0	0			
	„ „ —Current Account	.	.	.	.	185	6	10			
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						885	6	10			
	Less Petty Cash Overspent	.	.	.	.	0	18	6			
						<hr/>			884	8	4
1926											
May 31	„ Subscriptions Received:—					£	s.	d.			
	1 for year 1922/23	.	.	.	.	1	1	0			
	3 „ „ 1923/24	.	.	.	.	3	3	0			
	25 „ „ 1924/25	.	.	.	.	26	5	0			
	221 „ „ 1925/26	.	.	.	.	232	1	0			
	25 „ „ 1926/27	.	.	.	.	26	5	0			
	2 „ „ 1927/28	.	.	.	.	2	2	0			
						<hr/>			290	17	0
	„ Back Numbers	.	.	.	.	56	5	0			
	„ Maps	.	.	.	.	1	4	0			
	„ Donations to Gillow Library	.	.	.	.	8	8	0			
	„ Interest on Deposit Account	.	.	.	.	14	10	0			
	„ Dividends on Investments:—										
	£500 0 0 Consols	.	.	.	.	10	0	0			
	450 0 0 War Loan 5%	.	.	.	.	18	0	0			
	50 0 0 Victory Bond 4%	.	.	.	.	1	12	0			
	276 13 0 National War Bonds	.	.	.	.						
	5%, 2nd Series	.	.	.	.	30	17	9			
						<hr/>			60	9	9
						£1,276	13	0			
						<hr/>			431		
						<hr/>			13	9	
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To the Members of the Catholic Record Society:

We report that we have examined the above Statement of Receipts and vouchers relating thereto, and certify the same to be in accordance therewith securities on behalf of the Society and confirm the cash balances on Deposit

Salisbury House, London Wall, London, E.C. 2.

16th June, 1926

# RECORD SOCIETY.

## ACCOUNT.

Cr.

1926		Cost Price	
May 31	By £500 0 0 Consols . . .	£420 7 3	
	" 450 0 0 War Loan 5% . . .	426 12 4	
	" 50 0 0 Victory Bond 4% . . .	40 18 0	
	" 745 4 8 National War Bonds 5%, and Series.	796 17 11	
			* 1,684 15 6
			<u>£1,684 15 6</u>

and Co. to be £1,565 12s. 6d. which represents a depreciation on the cost price

## PAYMENTS ACCOUNT.

31st May, 1926.

### PAYMENTS.

Cr.

1926		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
May 31	By Volume XXVI:—						
	John Whitehead & Son Ltd . . .				150	0	0
	" Hon. Secretaries, Honorarium . . .	51	0	10			
	" " Petty Disbursements . . .	29	1	6			
					80	2	4
	" Hon. Bursar, Stationery and Postage . . .	2	16	0			
	" " Advertisements . . .	5	17	0			
	" " St. Vincent de Paul Society, for use of room . . .	2	2	0			
					10	15	0
	" Auditor's Fee . . .				2	2	0
	" Printing of 20th Annual Report . . .				24	0	0
	" Report of Annual Meeting . . .				2	2	0
	" Printing and Stationery . . .				7	13	6
	" Bank Charges . . .				0	0	8
	Total Payments for the Year				276	15	6
	" Transfer to Investment Account . . .				500	0	0
	" Balance carried forward to next Accounts:—						
	Cash at Bank—Deposit Account . . .	£400	0	0			
	" " —Current Account . . .	139	6	7			
					539	6	7

£1,316 2 1

(signed) LEONARD C. LINDSAY,  
Hon. Bursar.

Payments for the Year ended 31st May, 1926 with the books, pass books and Messrs. Coutts & Co., of 440, Strand, W.C. 2., certify that they hold the foregoing Current Accounts.

THOMSON & GREGORY, Auditors,  
Chartered Accountants.



## TRANSACTIONS OF THE TWENTY-SECOND ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING.

The Twenty-second Annual Meeting of the Catholic Record Society was held at the Catholic Reference Library, Kensington, on Wednesday, the 14th of July, 1926.

Viscount FitzAlan had promised to preside but was unavoidably prevented, and in his absence Mr George R. Bellew, Portcullis Pursuivant and Hon. Recorder of the Society, took the Chair.

Among those present were: Messrs John P. Smith, R. C. Baigent, Geo. F. Engelbach, Sir Henry Jerningham, Rev. Charles Newdigate, S.J., Major Francis Skeet, Rev. Herbert Vaughan, D.D., Rev. Leo Hicks, S.J., Rev. Henry Browne, S.J., Rev. W. F. Keogh, and Very Rev. Mgr Nolan, Mr L. C. Lindsay, Hon. Bursar, and Mr R. C. Wilton, Hon. Secretary.

In presenting the Annual Report for adoption, Mr Bellew said:

The report for this year has been distributed to members, and may be taken as read. The complete edition of the Twenty-first Annual Report, with the list of members, has been delayed by various circumstances, but it is now in the printers' hands, and will be circulated among members very shortly.

The index of Volume xxvi, *Miscellanea*, is now in the press, after which there remains only the binding. The volume will be issued as soon as possible.

The first article of Volume xxvii is in proof, and the printers have the second article in hand. Mgr Nolan's volume, the *VIIIth Douay Diary*, is in hand, and the Society has been offered, by the Very Reverend Edwin Henson, a collection of records and letters relating to English Catholic affairs in the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries. These records are chiefly in connection with the colleges of Valladolid and Madrid, and are taken from the archives now in the English College at Valladolid.

The question has been lately discussed that some of the younger members might take up research work with a view to attaining a University degree thereon. It is understood on good authority that the Board of Historical Studies would welcome research work by Catholic students; it is hardly necessary to add that provision would be made for the examination of their work in an impartial manner. It is gratifying to state that one of our members is already engaged in research work of this kind, in preparation of an account of the Catholic problem in the latter part of the sixteenth century.

The retirement of the late Hon. Secretary, Mr Hansom, has been a very great loss to the Society. For over twenty years he has given the unstinted use of his time, and of the accommodation existing at his private residence, for carrying on the clerical work of the Society. What Cardinal Gasquet lately said about Mr Britten in relation to the Catholic Truth Society may be applied with even greater force to Mr Hansom, in reference to our Society, of which he was the principal founder. He was, indeed, to use the Cardinal's words, "its prime mover and energy."

I may here read a letter received to-day from Lord FitzAlan, regretting his inability to take the chair this afternoon:

DEAR MR WILTON:

It is with great regret that I have at the last moment to throw over the Record Society to-morrow, but events have occurred which compel my having to move an amendment in the House of Lords in the afternoon, and it is not possible for me to be away from there.

I am especially sorry because I should have liked to have said a few words in appreciation of your predecessor, Mr Hansom, an old friend whom I have known for very many years and who was one of those chiefly responsible for the founding of the Society.

I should also have liked to have said a word of encouragement to the idea I have heard suggested that some of our younger members should be asked to take up research work with a view to obtaining a University degree thereon. I believe it to be of real importance, and I hope it may receive full and favourable consideration.

I share with all those present a deep regret at our revered President, Cardinal Gasquet, not being able to be with us in England this summer.

Yours sincerely,

(Signed) FITZALAN.

Continuing, Mr. Bellew said: Since the issue of Father Pollen's pamphlet on "Ten Years' Work of the Catholic Record Society," in 1914, another decennium has elapsed. This fact, and the retirement of Mr Hansom, whose name must be always closely associated with the origin and development of the Society, form a suitable opportunity to note the work done in this second period. The earlier years of the time under consideration were occupied by the War, and the Society's work was inevitably much hindered. Great efforts, however, were made to continue the issue of volumes, though progress was necessarily slow. Post-War conditions were not much better, but the Society has nevertheless been able to bring out nine volumes, four on special subjects, three "Miscellanea," and two volumes of Lancashire registers.

One of the most valuable is Volume xviii, dealing with Recusants, which we mainly owe to the untiring labours of Miss Calthrop. It treats of the years 1592-3, when the Elizabethan persecution was at its height, and supplements in an interesting manner the previous volume on the Martyrs. A volume was intended to deal with the Howard martyrs, but this was finally limited to the most prominent sufferer of their family, Ven. Philip Howard, Earl of Arundel.

We owe this volume to the late Father Pollen, the greatest authority on the cause of the earl. It is the most complete work, drawn from original MSS., which we have on the subject. The interest of Catholics lately has been so much concentrated on this nobleman, that such an exhaustive work is particularly valuable at the present time. The two other special subjects dealt with in the volumes of *Franciscana* and *Dominicana* have thrown new and most valuable light on the work of the friars and nuns of these Orders during penal times.

In the "Miscellanea" volumes we have, among many other items, records of the Benedictine nuns at Ghent and the diary of St. Gregory's College at Paris. In 1922 Cardinal Bourne called special attention to Volume xxii and the light it threw on the early work of Douay College, and also on the Arch-priest controversy. The two volumes of Lancashire Registers, taken in connection with those already issued, make us particularly rich in our material from that most Catholic of counties.



These volumes we mainly owe to the generosity of Mr J. P. Smith.

In 1923 special attention was directed to the splendid gift of Catholic books forming the Gillow Collection, a card index of which is now available.

Speaking on the balance-sheet, Mr Lindsay said: This year we have rather more in hand because we have not been able to bring out books as we did last year. Strictly speaking, the capital of the Society is really about £430, and the other invested part is all available for future use when required.

Mr Lindsay further said that he was happy to announce that the Duchess of Norfolk had kindly agreed for the time being to house our records and papers at Old Norfolk House. The grateful thanks of the Society are due to Her Grace.

The Rev. W. F. Keogh moved the adoption of the report and balance-sheet. He said: I think it is a matter of congratulation to see the new members that have joined the Society. The numbers are very favourable when compared with other Societies of a like character.

As regards the volumes. Many are of great interest and offer valuable material. I think that if it was made more generally known what valuable material there is to be found in the publications the membership might be increased.

Mr Ellison, seconding, said: In various parts of the country where I happen to be—Durham, North Yorkshire, and Northumberland—there is much of interest to Catholics. Indeed, it is amazing to me to see how much there is of interest from the general Catholic point of view.

Some of the old Catholic families seem to have disappeared, or at any rate their records have, and I think that what is left should be properly collected and collated.

Mr. Baigent said: One of our difficulties is to get people to do the work. There is no end of work to be done, but the great difficulty is to get people to give up their time and take up the work of transcription. Work is crying out to be done, and delay has caused a great danger of these old registers getting lost.

The adoption of the report and the balance-sheet was carried unanimously.

The Rev. Herbert Vaughan, D.D., proposed, and the Rev. C. A. Newdigate, S.J., seconded, and it was carried that the retiring members of the Council be re-elected for three years, viz.: the Rev. Bede Camm, O.S.B., Major Francis J. A. Skeet, Mr R. C. Baigent, and the Rev. Harold Burton.

Sir Henry Jerningham proposed, and Mr Engelbach seconded, a vote of thanks to Mr Bellew for presiding.

A vote of thanks was also proposed and seconded to Miss Willis, for so kindly lending the Library for the purpose of the meeting. Both proposals were unanimously carried.

## ROLL OF MEMBERS

*F*—Founders on June 10, 1904

*L*—Life Members

Libraries and other Institutions are to be found under Towns and Places.

Those in the Metropolis are under London.

[Members for the twenty-first year are retained below after resignation or death.]

- F* Abbotsleigh, Rev. Mother Prioress, C.R.L., Newton Abbot, Devon.  
 Aberystwyth.—The National Library of Wales (John Ballinger, C.B.E., M.A., Librarian).  
 Adamson, Rev. Philip, St Alban's Rectory, Mill Lane, Liscard, Cheshire.  
 Albany, New York, U.S.A.—New York State Library (J. I. Wyer, Director), *Messrs G. E. Stechert, 2 Star Yard, Carey Street, W.C.2*  
 Ampleforth Abbey Library (Rev. Louis d'Andria, B.A., O.S.B., Librarian), Malton, Yorkshire.  
 Anderton, Mrs Ince, Hôtel des Trois Couronnes, Vevey, Switzerland.  
 Anstruther, G. Elliot, 4 Adelaide Road, Hampstead, N.W.3  
*Antiquaries, Society of, see London.*  
 Arundell of Wardour, The Lady, Wardour Castle, Tisbury, Wilts.  
 Ashburnham, Lady Catherine, Ashburnham Place, Battle, Sussex.  
 Austin, Texas, U.S.A.—The Paulist Fathers, Very Rev. The Superior, 403 West Street.  
 Baigent, Richard Coventry, 57 Sarsfield Road, Balham, S.W.12  
 Bailie, Captain Matthias Godard Anthony, 8 London Road, Shardlow, Derby.  
 Barrow Public Library (Charles W. Gabbatt, Librarian), Town Hall, Barrow-in-Furness.  
 Bartlett, Joseph Henry, 27 Redcliffe Gardens, South Kensington, S.W.10  
 Barton, James, Carr House, Weld Bank, Chorley, Lancs.  
 Baterden, James Rae, 54 Brighton Grove, Newcastle-on-Tyne.  
 Beaumont, The Lady, Carlton Towers, Snaith, Yorks.  
 Beaumont College, Old Windsor, Berks., Very Rev. The Rector, S.J.  
 Bedingfeld, Sir Henry Paston, Bt., J.P., Oxburgh Hall, Stoke Ferry, Norfolk.  
 Bedingfeld, Mrs Raoul, "Borghese," Higher Lincombe Road, Torquay.  
 Bellew, George R., Somerset Herald, Heralds' College, Queen Victoria Street, E.C.4  
 Belmont Abbey, Rt Rev. the Abbot, O.S.B., Hereford.  
 Bergholt (East), Lady Abbess, O.S.B., St Mary's Abbey, near Colchester, Suffolk.  
 Berkeley, Robert V., J.P., F.S.A., Spetchley Park, Worcester.  
 Berlin, Prussian State Library, c/o Messrs Asher & Co., Behrenstrasse 17, Berlin, W.8  
 Birmingham, Most Rev. (Dr McIntyre) Archbishop of, Archbishop's House, 6 Norfolk Road, Edgbaston, Birmingham.  
 Birmingham.—The Oratory, Very Rev. The Superior, Hagley Road, Edgbaston.  
 Birmingham Public Library (Walter Powell, Librarian), Ratcliff Place, Birmingham.  
 Blackburn Public Library (Richard Ashton, Librarian), Blackburn.  
 Blackledge, James Gressier, O.B.E., J.P., 4 St Alban's Square, Bootle, Lancashire.



- Blundell, Francis N., M.P., J.P., D.L., Crosby Hall, Blundellsands, Liverpool.
- Bodleian Library, see Oxford.*
- Bodmin, St Mary's Priory, Very Rev. The Prior, C.R.L.
- Bolton Public Library (Archibald Sparke, Librarian), Bolton, Lancashire.
- Boston College (Rev. William M. Stinson, S.J., Librarian), University Heights, Boston, Mass., U.S.A.
- Boston Public Library (Charles F. D. Belden, Librarian), Boston, Mass., U.S.A.
- Boston, Mass., U.S.A.—New England Historic Genealogical Society (Wm. Prescott Greenlaw, Librarian), 9 Ashburton Place (*Messrs B. F. Stevens & Brown*).
- Bradford Public Library (Butler Wood, Librarian), Darley Street, Bradford.
- Brentwood, Rt Rev. (Dr Doubleday) Bishop of, Bishop's House, Brentwood, Essex.
- F* Brierley, \* Henry, LL.D., M.A., 26 Swinley Road, Wigan.
- Brighton Public Library (Henry D. Roberts, Director), Church Street, Brighton.
- Bristol Central Library (L. Ackland Taylor, F.L.A., Librarian), Bristol.
- British Museum, see London.*
- Broadhead, Rt Rev. Monsignor Joseph, Ushaw College, near Durham.
- Bruges, Belgium.—Rev. Mother Prioress, C.R.L., Le Couvent Anglais.
- Brussels, Belgium.—Société des Bollandistes, 22 Boulevard St Michel (Rev. H. Jossion, S.J., Librarian).
- Buckfast Abbey, Rt Rev. The Abbot of, O.S.B., Buckfastleigh, Devon.
- Burke, Sir Henry Farnham, K.C.V.O., C.B., Garter Principal King of Arms, Herald's College, Queen Victoria Street, E.C.4
- F* Burton, Very Rev. Edwin Hubert Canon, D.D., F.R.Hist.S.—R.I.P.
- Burton, Rev. Harold, St Margaret's House, Wellington Road, Hampton Hill, Middlesex.
- Cahill, Martin J., 24 Alderbrook Road, Balham, S.W.12
- L* Callaway, Rev. Thomas, St Mary's Presbytery, Chipping, Preston.
- Cambridge, Peterhouse Library (H. Butterfield, Librarian).
- Cambridge, St Edmund's House Library, Mount Pleasant (Rev. John McNulty, Master).
- Cambridge University Library (Francis J. H. Jenkinson, M.A., Litt.D., Librarian), Cambridge.
- Cambridge, Massachusetts, U.S.A.—Harvard University Library, *c/o Messrs Allen & Son, Ltd, 14 Grape Street, Shaftesbury Avenue, W.C.2*
- Cambysopolis, Rt Rev. (Dr Butt) Bishop of, 22 George Street, Portman Square, W.1
- F* Camm, Rev. R. Bede, O.S.B., M.A., F.S.A., Benet House, 13 Park Terrace, Cambridge.
- Canadian Parliament Library, see Ottawa.*
- Canning, Joseph Herbert, O.B.E., Crindau, Newport, Monmouthshire.
- Cardiff, Most Rev. (Dr Mostyn) Archbishop of, Archbishop's House, 24 Newport Road, Cardiff.
- Cardiff Public Library (Harry Farr, Librarian), Trinity Street, Cardiff.
- Cardiff.—Ancient Order of Hibernians (H. P. Close, Hon. Librarian), 39 Charles Street.

\* Hon. Secretary, Lancashire Parish Register Society.

- Carnegie, John, B.A., Burwash, Sunbury, Middlesex.  
 Carter, Rev. T. Walmsley, St Joseph's, Sheringham, Norfolk.  
 Carus, Alexander Hubert, Les Marais, Billinge End, Blackburn.  
 Catterall, Rev. John H., St Augustine's Rectory, Austin's Place, Preston.  
 Chadwick, Rev. Alfred, Byerwood, Burnopfield, Newcastle-on-Tyne.  
 Charlton, George Victor Bellasis, Woodford Lodge, Thrapston, Northants.  
 Chicago, Ill., U.S.A.—Newberry Library, *c/o Messrs B. F. Stevens and Brown, 4 Trafalgar Square, W.C.2*  
 Chicago University Library, Ill., U.S.A., *c/o Messrs B. F. Stevens and Brown, 4 Trafalgar Square, W.C.2*  
 Chichester-Constable, Colonel Raleigh, J.P., Burton Constable, Hull.  
 L Christall, Rev. Robert, 24 Heathcote Road, Epsom.  
 Ciceri, Leo. J., 1 St Mark's Crescent, Newport, Mon.  
 Clifton, Rt Rev. (Dr Burton) Bishop of, St Ambrose, Leigh Woods, Bristol.  
 F Codrington, Hon. Mrs Crossways, Ipsden, Wallingford, Berks.  
 Colwich, Rev. Mother Prioress, O.S.B., St Benedict's Priory, near Stafford.  
 L Connolly, Rev. James C., St Joseph's, Bugle Street, Southampton.  
*Constitutional Club, see London.*  
 Copenhagen, Denmark.—The Royal Library (*c/o Mr Francis Edwards, 83a High Street, W.1*).  
 Cotton, Rev. John, D.D., M.A., St Mary's Presbytery, Kemp Street, Fleetwood.  
 Cox, Rev. George Bede, O.S.B., St Mary's Priory, Highfield Street, Liverpool, W.  
 Crank, Very Rev. Thomas S. Canon, V.F., Mount Pleasant, Chorley.  
 Dalton, Mr Justice Llewelyn C., Judges' Chambers, Colombo, Ceylon, *c/o Rev. W. Dalton, Glynde Vicarage, near Lewes, Sussex.*  
 Day, Samuel Henry, The Looe, Selsey, Sussex.  
 Derby Public Library (W. H. Walton, Librarian), Derby.  
 de Zulueta, Miss Agnes, 5 Douro Place, Kensington, W.8  
 F de Zulueta, Captain Francis, D.C.L., M.A., Regius Professor of Civil Law, 37 Norham Road, Oxford.  
 Dibdin, George E., Brockweir, St Mark's Crescent, Newport, Mon.  
 Dolan, Very Rev. Oswald Canon, V.F., St Mary's Rectory, Norfolk Row, Sheffield.  
 Douai Abbey, Rt Rev. The Abbot of, O.S.B., Woolhampton R.S.O., Berks.  
 Downside Abbey Library (The Librarian), O.S.B., Stratton-on-the-Fosse, near Bath.  
 Dublin.—National Library of Ireland (Thomas W. Lyster, Librarian), Kildare Street.  
 Dublin.—Very Rev. Fr Provincial, S.J., 35 Lower Leeson Street.  
 Dublin.—Trinity College Library (Rev. T. K. Abbot, Litt.D., Librarian).  
 Ealing Priory, Very Rev. The Prior, O.S.B., Charlbury Grove, Ealing, W.5.  
 Edinburgh, Rev. Mother Superior, St Margaret's Convent.  
 Edinburgh Public Library (Ernest A. Savage, Librarian), George IV Bridge, Edinburgh.  
 Edinburgh.—The Signet Library (John Minto, M.A., Librarian).  
 F Edleston, Miss (Alice), Gainford, Darlington, Durham.  
 L Edmondson, Hubert H., 64 Fishergate, Preston, Lancashire.



- Edmondstoune-Cranstoun, C. J., J.P., Corehouse, Lanark, Scotland.  
 Ellison, Alfred Joseph, Coburg Court, Bayswater Road, W.2  
 F Engelbach, George Frederick, Halton Chambers, 20 King Street,  
 Covent Garden, W.C. 2  
 Eyre, Stanislas Thomas, J.P., Wellbury House, Hitchin, Herts.  
 Eyston, Mrs, Hendred House, Steventon, Berks.  
 Falkner, John Meade, Divinity House, Durham.  
 Farrell, Thomas Frederic, Brookside, Newland Park, Hull.  
 FitzAlan, Colonel the Rt Hon. the Viscount, Deputy Earl Marshal,  
 K.G., G.C.V.O., D.S.O., 1 Buckingham Palace Gardens, S.W.1  
 Fitzherbert-Brockholes, Major John, M.C., Claughton-on-Brock,  
 Garstang R.S.O., Lancs.  
 Fletcher, Rev. John Rory, 5 Hillside Road, Streatham Hill, S.W.2  
 Fogarty, Philip Christopher, I.C.S., Glenoir, Galway, Ireland.  
 Foran, Charles, "Normanton," 72 Elm Grove, Southsea, Hants.  
 Fort Augustus, Inverness.—Rt Rev. The Abbot, O.S.B.  
 Fournier, Louis, 18 Rue Chazière, Lyon, France.  
 Freeland, Rt Rev. Monsignor John Canon, V.G., Catholic Rectory,  
 Unthank Road, Norwich.  
*Fulham Public Library, see London.*  
 Gainsborough, The Earl of, O.B.E., J.P., Exton Park, Oakham, Rut-  
 land.  
 Gainsford, William D., J.P.—R.I.P.  
 Gaisford-St Lawrence, Julian Charles, J.P., Howth Castle, Dublin.  
 Gardner, Rev. John, The Rectory, Formby, Liverpool.  
 Gasquet, His Eminence Cardinal, O.S.B., Palazzo S. Calisto, Traste-  
 vere, Rome, Italy.  
*Genealogists, Society of, see London.*  
 Gibbons, Francis James Joseph, K.S.G., The Beeches, Penn, Wolver-  
 hampton.  
 Gillow, Mrs Joseph (*Honorary*), Fyldeholme, Broad Lane, Hale,  
 Cheshire.  
 Glasgow.—Very Rev. Rector, St Peter's College, Bearsden.  
 Glasgow.—Mitchell Library (Francis T. Barrett, Librarian), 21 Miller  
 Street.  
 Glasgow University Library, *c/o Messrs James MacLehose, Jackson  
 and Co., 73 West George Street, Glasgow.*  
 Glencross,\* Reginald M., M.A., LL.B., F.S.G., F.R.S.A.I., 176  
 Worpel Road, Wimbledon, S.W.19  
 Gorham, James J., M.A., M.D., J.P., 16 Ashley Gardens, Victoria  
 Street, S.W.1  
 Göttingen University Library (Richard Fick, Director), Hanover,  
 Germany.  
 Gray, Rev. John, St Peter's, Falcon Avenue, Morningside Road, Edin-  
 burgh.  
 Green-Armytage, R. N., 22 Bathwick Hill, Bath.  
 Guilday, Rev. Peter, D.D., 1234 Monroe Street, N.E., Brookland,  
 D.C., U.S.A.  
*Guildhall Library, see London.*  
 F Hall, Very Rev. Francis John Canon, V.F., St Charles's Rectory,  
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